KERSTETTER

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275. KIRSTATTER, MARTIN

Obergimpern =
6927 Bad Rappenau

Molly, 1727
S-H 13 ("Martine Kearstuter" on A list)

Obergimpern Lutheran KB:
Leonhard Kirstätter and wife Anna Ursula had:
  Johann Martin bp. 5/15 Sept. 1697

Neckarbischofsheim Lutheran KB:
m. 29 Apr. 1727 Joh. Martin Kirstatter, farmhand, b. in Ober Gimpern, and Dorothea Frey, b. in Bohnfelt [6927 Bonfeld]. They are going to Pennsylvania.

Pennsylvania records:
Stoever's records and Hill Lutheran KB, North Annville twp., Lebanon co.:
Martin Kirstaetter (Lebanon) and wife Dorothea had children:
  1. Joh. Martin b. 9 Dec. 1733 (also in Lancaster Lutheran KB) bp. Apr 28, 1734
  2. John b. 3 Sept. 1739
  3. Julianna b. 25 Jan. 1741
m. (2) 19 July 1744 Joh. Martin Kirstätter and Magdalena Huckenberger
m. 11 June 1751 Sebastian Kirstätter and Magdalena Diebler
m. 5 June 1753 Joh. Michael Kirstätter and Maria Dorothea Dietz
m. 1 June 1756 Joh. Martin Kirstätter and Elisabetha Bickel
m. 4 Apr. 1758 Joh. Martin Kümmerling and Elisabetha Kirstätter
m. 21 Jan. 1760 Jacob Ziegler and Juliana Kirstetter
See also Northumberland co. and Snyder co. probate records for later generations.

276. KLEBSATTEL, FRANTZ age 32

6921 Ittlingen

Hope, 1733
S-H 119, 121 (Others on ship: Rosina Klipsegel, 34,
Migel Klipsegel, 9, Hans Jerick 7)

Ittlingen Lutheran KB:
Frantz Klebsattel and wife Rosina had children:
  1. Catharina Barbara b. 24 Jan. 1728
  2. Georg Franciscus b. 2 May 1729
  3. Johannes b. 6 Jan. 1731
  4. Anna Rosina b. 4 Jan. 1732

Pennsylvania records:
Stoever's records:
Frantz Klebssaddel (Conewago) had:
  Maria b. 17 Feb. 1740, bp. 20 May 1740; sp. Christian Schlaegel and wife Maria
Children of Michael Klebsattel are bp. at St. Matthew's Lutheran KB, Hanover, 1746–1754.

Michael Klabsattle, Mt. Pleasant twp., York co., nat. Annapolis, 23 June 1765.

as postmaster; George Francis lives in Michigan; Catharine died in infancy; Zacharias M. lives at Milton, Pa.; Charles P. lives on the homestead near Pottsgrove; U. Grant lives at Clarkstown, Pennsylvania.

Zacharias M. Boyer, son of Benjamin, was born May 6, 1851, on the homestead in Montour county, Pa. He was reared upon the farm and also worked in his father's brickyard. In 1878 he moved to Milton, Northumberland county, where he still makes his home, and has ever since been engaged in the teaming business. He is an industrious and thrifty man, and is regarded by all who know him as an excellent citizen. On Dec. 30, 1875, Mr. Boyer married Emma Lattimere, daughter of Robert and Juliann (Gross) Lattimere, and they have the following children: William C. is mentioned below; Celia married Myron Fowler; Myrtle married Joseph Boyer; Mary; Catharine; Bertha; Robert.

William C. Boyer obtained his education in the common schools of Chillisquaque township, Northumberland county. He was employed at farm work until he reached the age of sixteen, after which he worked in the Godcharles iron works at Milton for about eight years. On Jan. 7, 1900, he arrived in Sunbury, where he completed an apprenticeship as butcher, in 1904 engaging in the butcher business on his own account at his present location, No. 330 Line street, corner of Catawissa avenue. In 1906 he added a line of groceries, and he has since continued both branches of the business, having built up a large trade, one of the most extensive enjoyed by any tradesman in the city. He employs three men steadily. Mr. Boyer carries a very complete and desirable stock of groceries, both staples and fancy lines, and his meat market has the highest reputation. His prosperity is well deserved, for he has worked hard to attain his standing, and is much respected in business circles as well as among his patrons.

On June 23, 1905, Mr. Boyer married Mary Amelia Martz, daughter of William J. and Louisa (Lenig) Martz, of Sunbury, and they have four children: Mildred E., Charles W., Geraldine and Rachel. Mr. and Mrs. Boyer are members of Zion's Lutheran Church at Sunbury. Fraternally he belongs to the Royal Arcanum, the Modern Woodmen and the P.O.S. of A., all at Sunbury.

EMANUEL WILSON KERSTETTER, proprietor of a thriving general store at No. 619 West Pine street, Shamokin, is a native of Schuylkill county but a member of an old Northumberland county family. He is a descendant in the fifth generation from George Kerstetter, the founder of the family here.

George Kerstetter came to this country from Germany and settled near Shamokin, in Northumberland county, where he owned 250 acres of valuable land at what is now Ferndale, where be died. The old Nelson and Last Chance collieries were located upon this tract, which at one time was valued at six million dollars.

John Kerstetter, son of George, was born at what is now Ferndale, near Shamokin, and died in Cameron township, this county. He was a shoemaker by trade. His children were: Simon; John F.;

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Adam, living in Coal township; Abraham, living in Cameron township; Susan, who married George Latsha; Kittie, who married Elias Derk; Salena, who married Jacob Weikel; Eliza, who married Daniel Kobel.

John F. Kerstetter, son of John, was born Oct. 30, 1817, in Little Mahanoy township, Northumberland county, and died April 29, 1875, in Cameron township, where he is buried, at St. Peter's Lutheran church. He followed the stone-mason's trade in the Mahantango Valley and owned a farm of seventy-six acres in Cameron township. His wife, Abbie (Kramer), daughter of Christian and Lydia (Weary) Kramer, died in December, 1905, aged eighty-two years. They had a large family, viz.: Elizabeth married Alfred Schroder; Hettie married Samuel Croffert; Joel is mentioned

below; Seth lives near Goastown; Nathaniel lives at Mount Carmel; Helena married Jonathan Long; Henry lives on the old homestead in Cameron township; Lewis, born Aug. 20, 1854, a resident of Shamokin, married Mary A. Stahl and their children are Laura Ella, Daniel H., Oswald W. and Lewis Oliver; Andrew is deceased; James is deceased; Jacob lives at Shamokin; Joseph lives on the old homestead in Cameron township; Susan married James Latsha, of Mount Carmel; Catharine married Amos Rhoads and they are living in the West.

Joel Kerstetter, son of John F., was born in 1848 in Northumberland county, and has followed farming all his life, now living in Upper Mahanoy township, where he owns a farm of ninety acres. He is a prosperous and respected citizen of his community. He married Hattie Dunkelberger, daughter of Joseph and Rachel (Federolf) Dunkelberger, and they have had seven children, namely: Emanuel W., Amelia, William, James, Mary, Carrie and Ida.

Emanuel Wilson Kerstetter was born Sept. 10, 1869, at Klingerstown, Schuylkill Co., Pa., and received his education in the schools of Upper Mahanoy township and at the Gratz Academy, in Dauphin county. He had good advantages, and after leaving school as a pupil taught for seven years in all, being thus engaged in Upper Mahanoy township, this county, and in Eldred township, Schuylkill county. Coming to Shamokin in 1894, he found employment with N. C. Wolverton, as clerk, remaining with him about four years, since which time he has been engaged in business on his own account. He has a fine store at No. 619 West Pine street, and carries a stock of general merchandise which meets the local demand. He has good judgment in buying and anticipates the wants of his customers, whom he holds by satisfactory goods and prompt service. His store is well patronized and has a steadily growing trade. Mr. Kerstetter is regarded as one of the progressing business men of the borough. He is a member of the Board of Trade and takes an intelligent interest in all projects which have for their object the welfare of the community, the promotion of trade activities and the encouragement of up-to-date public institutions.

On Dec. 25, 1891, Mr. Kerstetter married Alice Schreffler, daughter of Isaac and Malinda (Daniel) Schreffler, and six children have been born to them: Mabel, Charles, Hattie, Luther, Leona and Irene. Mr. Kerstetter is a member of the Lutheran Church and Sunday school, and socially he unites with the P.O.S. of A.

LEONARD KERSTETTER was an early settler in the western part of Cameron township, Northumberland county. He owned a tract of forty-four acres on which he farmed, erected a house and barn on this place, and died aged about eighty years. He is buried in Cameron township. In 1778 the names of Leonard and Martin Kerstetter appear among the pioneers of Mahanoy township, but in the first assessment of Cameron township, in 1814, Leonard's name appears among the taxables. His name appears in 1803 among the organizers of St. Jacob's Lutheran and Reformed Church, in Upper Mahanoy township. His wife's maiden name was Gerhard, and she is buried by his side. They had a large family, namely: Leonard, Philip, John, George, Daniel, Michael, Susan (married Peter Weigel), Hannah (married John Reichard), Mary Elizabeth (married Michael Derk and died in May, 1898, aged one hundred years, three months, eighteen days, at the home of her nephew, Simon Peter Kerstetter, in West Cameron township; she is buried at St. Peter's church in that township).

Leonard Kerstetter, son of Leonard, was a farmer in the western part of Cameron township, where he and his wife, Barbara (Heller), are buried. They had five children: John, who died young; Simon Peter; Isaac; Catharine, who married Daniel Kraemer; Salome, who married Solomon Gottshall.

Philip Kerstetter, son of Leonard, lived at Trevorton. He was a farmer for some years, in his later life hauling coal. He was twice

married, and by his first wife had two children, Robert and Adam. To his second marriage, with Catharine Eisenhart, were born three children: Felix, Mary and Catharine.

John Kerstetter, son of Leonard, was a farmer in Cameron township. His children were: John, Abraham, Adam, Salome and Elizabeth.

George Kerstetter, son of Leonard, was a farmer and landowner of Cameron township, and is buried there. His wife was a Derck, and their children were: Daniel, George and Levi.

Daniel Kerstetter, son of Leonard, lives in the eastern part of Cameron township, near Gowen

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City. He engaged in work around the coal mines. He married Lusenna Wary, and among their children are Alexander and Joseph.

Michael Kerstetter, son of Leonard, lived in Bear Valley, two miles from Shamokin, where he did work about the coal mines. He married a Martz, and they had a large family. Their son William is out West. Charles was another son.

Simon Peter Kerstetter, son of Leonard and grandson of Leonard, was born June 3, 1840, and spent most of his life in Cameron township, working in the coal mines. He now, however, lives in Little Mahanoy. On April 15, 1866, he married Elizabeth Bingaman, and of their four children three are deceased, the survivor, Benjamin Franklin Kerstetter, being a farmer in Little Mahanoy township, where he owns the original John Dunkelberger homestead. He married R. Agnes Long, and their children are: Elizabeth, Lloyd, George, Francis and Theresa.

WILLIAM HENRY FRANCIS, proprietor of the "Central House" at Trevorton, is one of the progressive business men of that town and is regarded as one of its reliable citizens. He was born July 19, 1874, at Excelsior, this county, son of John Paul Francis, who is now living, retired at Trevorton.

Matthew Francis, his grandfather, was born in 1808 in Cornwall, England, where he followed ore mining. Coming to America in 1840, he settled at Pottsville, Schuylkill Co., Pa., where he followed mining until his death a few years later, in 1847. His wife, Sarah (Paul), had come to America with their children in the fall of 1842, her husband meeting them at New York City. She survived Mr. Francis over forty years, dying Nov. 29, 1891, aged eighty-three years, six months, fourteen days. The children were: Matthew, who died in Iowa; John Paul; Joseph, who died in Philadelphia; Sarah, widow of Charles Webb, now living at Shenandoah, Schuylkill county; Jane, who married William Botham, of Newcastle, Pa.; Mary, widow of James Clifford, living at Allentown, Pa.; and William Henry, a resident of Trevorton.

John Paul Francis, son of Matthew, was born Feb. 26, 1836, in Cornwall, England, and was six years old when his mother brought him to America. At the early age of eight he began picking slate at the breaker, and in time became a miner, which occupation he followed for about forty years, becoming foreman, in which capacity he served at the Glendower colliery, near Minersville, Schuylkill county, and at the Enterprise colliery, operated by Thomas Baumgardner & Co. Having settled in the Mahanoy Valley, in Cameron township, Northumberland county, be followed farming for thirty-four years before his retirement from active labor. In 1909 he removed to Trevorton, where he has since led a retired life. Mr. Francis has long been an ardent Republican in politics, and served as committeeman of his party in Cameron township, where he was also elected to the school board. He is a member of the Methodist Church, and has always taken an interest in everything affecting the public good. During the Civil war he enlisted, in April, 1861, in Company B, 14th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in which he served three months as a private, being discharged at Carlisle, Pa., in

Records from courthouse in Sunbury

1. Valentine WOLF TO Leonard KERSTETTER 1 Jan 1768

2. Andrew SHEFFER to Sebastian KERSTITTER 6 Sept 1774

3. Leonard KERSTETTER to Peter RICHTER 1806
   *mentions Nicholas & Elizabeth Getz on top of page
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4 Leonard KERSTETTER power of attorney To John Rine 16 Mar 1816

5 Leonard KERSTETTER To Peter Richter 28 Jan 1806

6. Leonard Kesteter dec'd 6 Aug 1790
   Letters of administration To Martin KESTETER & Leonard
   KESTETER

7 Heirs of John ZERUNG To John RUSH 3 Oct 1774
   Indenture between Henry Zerung, Ludwig Zerung, Mathias
   Zerung, philip Zerung, Leonard KIRSTETOR & Elizabeth his
   wife & Ludwig Z ucey in behale of John Zerung a
   minor. ... late of Bethel Twp. in The County of Lancaster
   & John RUSH of Brecknock Twp ~

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deed Poll, is of the proper hand writing of the said Michael Troy (formerly of Northumberland county Merchant And further this deponents ſwear not. Witneſs my hand & Seal the same day and year; . Chr. Gittig

Recorded the 17.th of Oct.r 1786. J. Simpson R.r

Valentine Wolf
Deed Poll to
Leonh.d Kerstitter

Know all men by these presents that Valentine Wolf of Heidleberg Township in the county of Berks Sadler for and in Consideration of the sum of eight pounds and ten Shillings lawfull money of Pennsylvania to him in hand well and truly paid by Leonhard Kerstitter of Bethel township in Lancaster county the receipt whereof the said Valentine Wolf, doth hereby acknowledge and therefrom forever acquit and discharge the said Leonhard Kerstetter his heirs and aſsigns for ever, hath granted bargained sold released and confirmed. and by these presents doth grant bargain sell release relinquish and confirm unto the said Leonhard Kerstetter his heirs and aſsigns forever. A Certain improvement or tract of land Situate in the county of Cumberland on the bank of Susquehannah adjoining Lands of Thomas M.cKee. containing about three hundred acres (more or leſs) Being the same which was granted unto the said Valentine Wolf by order of application dated the day of An.o Dom.i 17 N.o Together also with all and Singular the building improvements ways woods underwoods waters water Courses rights liberties priviledges hereditaments and Appurtenances Whatsoever thereunto belonging, and the reversion & remainder thereof To have and to hold the above said tract of Land Hereditaments & premises hereby granted or mentioned or intended so to be with the Appurtenances unto the said Leonhard Kerstetter his heirs and Aſsigns to his and their only proper use and behoof for ever; . Subject always to the Proprietary purchase money Quit rent and interest due and becoming due in the said Application mentioned, . In testimony whereof the said Valentine Wolf hath hereunto set his hand and Seal the Nineteenth day of Jan.ry in the year of our lord one thousand seven hundred and Sixty eight, . Valentine his mark × Wolf Sealed and delivered in the presence of, Jacob Cart Eph.m Steel. Cumberland County ſs. Came before me one of his Majesties Justices of the peace for said county Valentine Wolf and acknowledged the within Instrument of writing to Leonard Kerstetter as his act and deed, and as such desires that it may be recorded, Given under my hand & Seals, Acknowledged Jan.ry 19.th 1768. Before Rob.t Miller

Recorded the 18th day of October An.o Dom.i 1786. J. Simpson R.

George Sanderson Sen.r
Deed Poll to
Joseph Galloway

Know all men by these presents, that I George Sanderson Sen.r of the county of Cumberland & province of Pennsylvania for and in consideration of the sum of five Shillings lawfull money of the province of Pennsylvania to me in hand well and truly paid by Joseph Galloway at or before the Sealing and delivery hereof, (the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge,) and for other good causes & valuable Considerations, have bargained, sold, released aſsigned, and confirmed, unto the said Joseph Galloway his heirs, Exec.rs, Administrators, and aſsigns, all my right, title, interest, property, Claim, and demand, of, in and to a certain application, by me, or for me, entered in the proprietaries land office for the province aforesaid, and received in the same by the Secretary of the said office, on the third day of April last past for taking up three hundred acres of land Situate upon the east branch of Chillisquaque Creek above Mr. Tilghmans Survey & also all my right, title, interest, property, Claim and demand, of in, and to a certain order iſsued or to be iſsued & located to my use the said Quantity of three hundred acres of Land, and of and to the Warrant and patent to be granted to the same To have and to hold the said Premises, and every part thereof surveyed or to be Surveyed, and located, in pursuance of the said Application, or order or meant mentioned and intended so to be, with all the Appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging. To the only proper use and behoof of him the said Joseph Galloway his heirs Executors Admin.rs and aſsigns for ever, under and Subject to the payment of the consideration-money and Quit-rent due, or to become due to the Hon.ble the proprietaries of the said province for the same, and the charges of Surveying, and all other taxes, and Aſseſsments whatsoever, . And I the said George Sanderson Sen.r for myself, my heirs, Exec.rs and Administrators Shall and will at all and any time or times hereafter upon the reasonable request, costs and charges of him the said Jo.s Galloway his heirs, Exec.rs Administrators and aſsigns, make do, execute, acknowledge & deliver

or persons, whomsoever lawfully claiming or to claim by, from or under him, them, or any of them, Shall & will warrant and forever defend by these presents, In Witness whereof the said Parties have interchangeably set their hands and seals hereunto: Dated the day and year first above written. Reuben Haines (S), Margaret Haines (S) Sealed and delivered, in the presence of us, B: Weiser Casper Wm. Haines, Received on the day of the date of the above Indenture of the above named John Boyd, the sum of Eighty six pounds it being the full Consideration money above mentioned Reuben Haines. [illegible] present

The fourteenth day of May Ano. Domi. 1785, before me Robert Martin one of the Justices of the Courts of Common pleas in & for the county of Northumberland came the above named Reuben Haines and Margaret his wife & acknowledged the above Indenture to be their act and deed and desired the same may be Recorded as such according to law: The said Margaret thereunto voluntarily consenting, she being of full age, and apart from her husband by me Examined and the contents thereof first made known unto her. Witness my hand & Seal the day and year abovesaid, Robt. Martin (S) **Recorded** the 16th. June Ano. Domi. 1785. John Simpson Rr.

Andrew Sheffer
to
Sebastn. Kerstitter

Bill of Sale. Know all men by these presents that I Andrew Shaffer of Penns Township in the County of Northd. as well for and in Consideration of the sum of five Shillings Lawfull money of Pennsylvania to me in hand paid by Sebastian Kerstetor of the same township at & before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, as for divers other good causes and Valuable Considerations me thereunto moveing have granted bargained sold released enfeoffed released and confirmed, And by these presents do grant bargain sell alien Enfeoff release and confirme unto the said Sebastian Kerstettor and to his heirs and Assigns, all my right title interest estate Claim and demand, of in and to a Certain order of Survey, granted to me the twenty fourth day of February, in the year of our lord one thousand seven hundred & sixty seven for three hundred acres of land adjoining Land then of Thomas Magel and Rudolph Smeltzer (then) in Cumberland county Now in Northumberland county; including my then Improvements, Together with all my right interest of in & to the sd. Tract of Land & every part thereof Hereditaments with the Appurtenances. To have and to hold the said order Tract of three hundred acres of land & primises with the Appurtenances unto the said Sebastian Kerstiter his heirs and Assigns to the only Use and behoof of the said Sebastian Kerstetor his heirs and Assigns forever. Subject to the payment of the purchase money interest & Quit rent due or to become due on the same to the proprietaries of Pennsylvania their heirs and Successors. In Testimoney whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the sixth day of September 1774. Andrew Shaffer (S) Sealed and delivered in the presence of Johannes Swarts Benja. Weiser. Northumberland County ss. Be it Remembered that on the sixth day of Septr. one thousand seven hundred & Seventy four, Came before me the Subscriber Benjamin Weiser one of his Majesties Justices of the peace for the county aforesaid the within named Andrew Sheffer and acknowledged the within Bill of Sale to be his act & deed, and desired that the same might be Recorded as such. Witness my hand & seal the day & year above Written, Benja. Weiser (S).

Recorded the 16th. of June Ano. Domi. 1785. Jno. Simpson Rr.

John P. d Haas
to
George Roth

Deed. This Indenture made the seventh day of August in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seventy five. Between John Philip de Haas of Lebanon Township in the county of Lancaster and Province of Pennsylvania Esqr. and

[illegible] That [illegible] the [illegible] day of April [illegible] 1806 before me the subscriber one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for Philadelphia County Came the above named Daniel Leal and Mary his Wife and acknowledged the above written Indenture to be their Act and Deed and desired the same to be recorded as such The said Mary being of full age Separate and apart from her said Husband by me thereon examined and the Contents thereof being made known to her declared that She voluntarily and of her own free Will and accord signed Sealed and as her Act and Deed delivered the same Indenture without any Coercion or compulsion whatever from her said Husband, Witness my Hand and Seal Fredk Wolbert (L.S.) Berks County ss. The twenty sixth day of May A.D. 1806. Before me the subscriber President of the third District &c. Came the within named Nicholas Ciz and Elizabeth his Wife and acknowledged the within written Indenture to be their Act and Deed and desired the same to be recorded as Such, The said Elizabeth being of full age separate and apart from her said Husband by me thereon examined and the contents made known to her declared that she voluntarily and of her own free Will and accord Signed Sealed and as her Act and Deed delivered the same Indenture without any coercion or compulsion whatever from her said Husband. Witness my Hand and Seal Jno. Spayd (L.S.) Exd

Recorded the 9th Day of June A. D. 1806.

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onard Kerstetter
Wife Deed of Conv.ce to
Peter Richter

This Indenture Made the twenty eight Day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and six, Between Leonard Kerstetter and Catharine his Wife of Mahantongo Township, County of Northumberland and State of Pennsylvania of the one part, and Peter Richter of Selinsgrove, Penns Township and County aforesaid of the other Part. Whereas Christian Richter late of Mahantongo Township Northumberland County afores.d deceased (who was the Father of Catharine now Wife of the said Leonard Kerstetter) was Seized and Possessed of Several Tenaments, and Tracts of Lands Situate in Mahantongo Township aforesaid, Bounded as follows To Wit. One of them adjoining Lands of, Now held by David Dosster Ludwig Walter, Andrew Casper Arnold and Simon Herold containing about five hundred Acres, also one other Tract adjoining the above and Lands of George Row and others containing sixty Acres more or less Also one other Tract of Land adjoining Lands of John Shaffer, Jacob Reichenback Tobias Zeller and others containing about two hundred Acres More or less, Also one Lot of Ground situate in the Town of Selinsgrove in Penns Township aforesaid, and other Lands, And being so thereof Siezed died Intestate leaving Issue seven Children, to wit John, Peter, Godfry, George, and Frederick, being Sons and Catharine Intermarried with the said Leonard Kerstetter, and Mary Intermarried with John Melcher, all Children and Heirs of the said Christian Richter dec.d Now this Indenture, Witnesseth that the said Leonard Kerstetter and Catharine his Wife, for and in Consideration of the Sum of Fifty Dollars lawful Money of Pennsylvania to them in hand paid by the said Peter Richter at and before the ensealing and Delivery of these Presents the

my [illegible] Rothert Berks County ss. The twenty sixth day of May A.D. 1806. Before me the subscriber President of the third District &c. Came the within named Nicholas Getz and Elizabeth his Wife and acknowledged the within written Indenture to be their Act and Deed and desired the same to be recorded as such, The said Elizabeth being of full age separate and apart from her said Husband by me thereon examined and the contents made known to her declared that she voluntarily and of her own free Will and accord Signed Sealed and as her Act and Deed delivered the same Indenture without any coercion or compulsion whatever from her said Husband. Witness my Hand and Seal Jn^o. Spayd Cod

Recorded the 9th Day of June A.D. 1806.

nard Kerstetter
Deed of Conv. to
ter Richter

This Indenture Made the twenty eight Day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and six, Between Leonard Kerstetter and Catharine his Wife of Mahantongo Township, County of Northumberland and State of Pennsylvania of the one part, and Peter Richter of Selinsgrove, Penns Township and County aforesaid of the other Part. Whereas Christian Richter late of Mahantongo Township Northumberland County afores.d deceased who was the Father of Catharine now Wife of the said Leonard Kerstetter) was Seized and Possessed of several Tenements, and Tracts of Lands Situate in Mahantongo Township aforesaid; Bounded as follows To Wit. One of them adjoining Lands of, Now held by David Bop, Ludwig Walter, Andrew Casper Arnold and Simon Herold containing about five hundred Acres, also one other Tract adjoining the above and Lands of George Row and others containing sixty Acres more or less Also one other Tract of Land adjoining Lands of John Shaffer, Jacob Reichenback Tobias Zeller and others containing about two hundred Acres More or less, Also one Lot of Ground situate in the Town of Selinsgrove in Penns Township aforesaid, and other Lands, And being so thereof Seized died Intestate Leaving Issue seven Children, to wit John, Peter, Godfry, George, and Frederick being Sons and Catharine Intermarried with the said Leonard Kerstetter, and Mary Intermarried with John Melcher, all Children and Heirs of the said Christian Richter dec.d Now this Indenture, Witnesseth that the said Leonard Kerstetter and Catharine his Wife, for and in Consideration of the Sum of Fifty Dollars lawful Money of Pennsylvania to them in hand paid by the said Peter Richter at and before the ensealing and Delivery of these Presents the Receipt and Payment whereof is hereby acknowledged, and thereof do acquit and forever Discharge the said Peter Richter his Heirs Executors, & Administrators, by these presents, Hath granted bargained and Sold by these presents do grant bargain, sell, release, enfeoff and Confirm unto the said Peter Richter his Heirs

miller, [illegible]
the above named John Eisenhart the sum of Nine hundred pounds in Gold
silver Money it being the Consideration money above mentioned in full I
say rec'd by me Peter Hilbish Witness present at Signing C A Dorr Govening Mich'l
Dunkenmiller. North'd County Sct Be it remembered that on the 23 day of
March AD 1812 Before me M. Dunkenmiller Esq. one of the peace of the said
County, came the above named Peter Hilbish and acknowledged the above
Indenture to be his act & Deed and desired that the same might be
recorded as such according to law. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and seal the said day & year Michael Dunkenmiller (Seal)
Recorded the 10th of april 1816 per John L. Finney Rec.

Leonard Kerstetter
power of attorney to
John Rine ...

Know all men by these presents that I Leonard
Kerstetter of Mahantango Township (Late Northumb'd
now) Union County the mortgagee in the foregoing Indenture of Mortgage
named Have & by these presents do make Ordain Constitute & appoint
John Rine of the County of Union my true & lawful attorney for me and in
my name to appear before the Recorder of Deeds in & for the County of
Northumberland and in my name & stead to acknowledge Satisfaction on
the margin of the record of the foregoing Mortgage in full Satisfaction and
discharge of both principal & interest thereof hereby ratifying whatever my said
attorney shall lawfully do in the premises by virtue hereof. In Witness whereof I
have hereunto set my hand & seal this Sixteenth day of March in year of our Lord
one thousand Eight hundred & Sixteen. Leonard Kerstetter (Seal) Sealed & Delivered
in the presence of us Jacob Gemian, Philip Burkhart.
County of Union ss On the sixteenth day of March AD 1816 Before me the
Subscriber one of the Justices of the peace for said County came the above named
Leonard Kerstatter and acknowledged the above written letter of attorney to be his
act and deed and desired the same to be recorded as such In Witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day & year aforesaid Philip Burkhart (Seal)
Recorded the 11th April 1816 p J.L. Finney Rec.

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did grant barga
Jonas Weaver his
his wife by Inde
the said Lot of Grou
And Whereas the
the 28th day of April
appurtenances unto
said Christopher
May 1780 did grant
unto Joseph Lorenb
and Mary his wife
the same Lot of Grou
assigns forever. A
by Indenture dat
Lot of ground with
forever as by the said
thereunto had. No
Robins and Nancy
lawful money of
Whan at and be
the acknowledge
grant bargain
the aforesaid
the buildings &
watercourses rights
thereunto belong
rents issues & pro
property Claim
his wife of into or

[illegible] Berks County ss On Twenty sixth Day of May AD 1806 Before me the Subscriber President of the third District &c. Came the within named Nicholas Getz and Elizabeth his Wife and acknowledged the within written Indenture to be their Act and Deed and desired the same to be recorded as Such, The said Elizabeth being of full age separate and apart from her said Husband by me thereon examined and the contents made known to her declared that she voluntarily and of her own free Will and accord Signed Sealed and as her Act and Deed delivered the same Indenture without any coercion or compulsion whatever from her said Husband. Witness my Hand and Seal Jn.o Spayd

Recorded the 9th Day of June A.o D.o 1806

15.

Leonard Kerstetter & Wife Deed of Con.n to Peter Richter

This Indenture Made the twenty eight Day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and six, Between Leonard Kerstetter and Catharine his Wife of Mahantongo Township, County of Northumberland and State of Pennsylvania of the one part, and Peter Richter of Selinsgrove, Penns Township and County aforesaid of the other Part. Whereas Christian Richter late of Mahantongo Township, Northumberland County afores.d deceased who was the Father of Catharine now Wife of the said Leonard Kerstetter was Seized and Possessed of several Tenaments, and Tracts of Lands Situate in Mahantongo Township aforesaid Bounded as follows To Wit. One of them adjoining Lands of [illegible] held by David Dep[illegible] Ludwig Walter, Andrew Casper Arnold and Simon Herold containing about five hundred Acres, also one other Tract adjoining the above and Lands of George Row and others containing sixty Acres more or less Also one other Tract of Land adjoining Lands of John Shaffer, Jacob Reichenback Tobias Keller and others containing about two hundred Acres More or less, Also one Lot of Ground situate in the Town of Selinsgrove in Penns Township aforesaid, and other Lands, And being so thereof Seized died Intestate Leaving Issue seven Children, to wit John, Peter, Godfry, George and Frederick, being Sons and Catharine Intermarried with the said Leonard Kerstetter, and Mary Intermarried with John Melcher, all Children and Heirs of the said Christian Richter dec.d Now this Indenture witnesseth that the said Leonard Kerstetter and Catharine his Wife, for and in Consideration of the Sum of Fifty Dollars lawful Money of Pennsylvania to them in hand paid by the Peter Richter at and before the ensealing and Delivery of these Presents the receipt and Payment whereof is hereby acknowledged and thereof do acquit and forever Discharge the said Peter Richter his Heirs Executors & Administrators, by these presents, Hath granted bargained and Sold by these presents do grant bargain, sell, release, enfeoff and Confirm unto the said Peter Richter his Heirs

and Aſsigns, the One equal undivided seventh Part of all the before Mentioned and described Tracts of Land and also the one equal seventh Part of all other Lands wich the said Father was poſseſsed of at the Time of his Decease To have and to hold unto him the said Peter Reichter his heirs and Aſsigns, To the only proper use Benefit and Behoof of him the said Peter Reichter his Heirs and Aſsigns forever, And the said Leonard Kerstetter and Catharine his Wife for themselves their heirs Executors and Administrators doth Covenant Promise, grant and agree to and with the said Peter Reichter his heirs and Aſsigns, that he the said Leonard Kerstetter and Catharine his Wife or their heirs the said one seventh part of the before mentioned several Tracts of Land, and of all the said Land, wich the said Father Christian Reichter was poſseſsed of at the Time of his Decease against him the said Leonard Kerstetter and Catharine his Wife or their heirs and against all and every other Persons or Persons whomsoever Lawfully Claiming or to Claim the same by from or under him them or any of them shall and will Warrant and for ever defend, In Wittneſs whereof said parties to these presents have hereunto set their Hands and Seals the Day and Year first above written Leonard Kerstetter (L.S.) Catharine her X mark Kerstetter (L.S.) Sealed and Delivered in the Presents of us Jacob Mijüs F. Evans Received the day of the Date of the within Indenture of and from the within Named Peter Reichter the Sum of Fifty Dollars Lawful Money of Pennsylvania, being in full for the Consideration above mentioned I say rec.d by me Leonard Kerstetter Witneſs Present F. Evans Northumberland County, ſs. Be it remembered that on the 2nd day of June Domini One thousand eight hundred and Six Cometh before me the Subscriber one of the Juſtices of the Peace for said County Leonard Kerstetter and Catharina his Wife and Acknowledged the within written Indenture to be their Act and Deed and desired the same to be recorded as such according to Law, she the said Catharine being seperately by me examined declared the same to be her Act and Deed. In Testimoney whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the day and year aforesaid F. Evans (L.S.)

&c. Recorded the 10th Day of June A.D. 1806

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ohn Boyd & Wm
Vilson Exrs Deed
to
Thomas Dugan

This Indenture Made the twenty Seventh Day of June in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six Between John Boyd of Chillisquaque Township in the County of Northumberland and State of Pennsylvania and Rebecca his Wife and William Wilson of the same place Esquire and Mary his Wife of the one part and Thomas Dugan of the same Township County and State of the other Part Whereas a certain Thomas [illegible] was seized in his demesne as of fee of and in three several Tracts

Be it remembered.

Leonard Kesteter dece'd.

That on the sixth day of August in the year of our Lord 1790, Letters of Adminiſtration were in due and common Form of Law, Granted to Martin Kesteterr and Leonard Kesteter jun^r. Of all and Singular the Goods and Chattels, Rights and Credets which were of Leonard Kesteter deceased, Who hath put in ſuretees. &c. viz. John Binginman and Jacob Broſius.

I: Simpson Reg^r.

Jonas Foughts Will,

In the Name of God Amen I Jonas Fought of the Township of Buffaloe and County of Northumberland Yeaman, being weak of body but sound in Memory, do conſtitute make and appoint this to be my Last Will & Testament, Disclaiming revoking and disannulling all other Wills by me made either by word or Writing Ordaining and appointing this to be my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following, that is to say, Item. I Give and Bequeath unto my well beloved Son Michael Fought all my Estate both Real and Personal that I ſhall die Seized or poſseſsed of his Heirs and Aſsigns for ever. (Except what is hereinafter Excepted) he paying all my Just debts and Funeral Expences. And if no earlyer or better Title appears to be vested in any other person for the lands I now hold or any part thereof then I order and allow that the following Sums be by him the ſaid Michael Fought paid in manner and form following unto the different Legatees hereen after mentioned, Item. I Give & Bequeath unto my Daughter Barbara the ſum of Fifty pounds the one half to be paid on the first day of April that ſhall happen in the next year following my decease, And the other half or moiety being twenty five pounds thereof to be paid in one year afer the first half or payments becomes due, Item. I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Eve the ſum of fourty pounds one half thereof to be paid in one year after the last Moiety or Gale of my Daughter Barbara's becomes due and the other half to be paid in one year from the first payment thereof. Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Ann the sum of Fourty pounds the one half or first payment thereof to be made in One Year after the last payment

of sound and disposing mind and
and Year aforesaid. J: Simpson

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. . . . . . entered at Philad: the sixteenth day of November last past was granted . . . . warded, the
and ordered to be surveyd to me the said John Lugar) To have and to hold the said
Tract of warranted Land containing about one hundred Acres (more or less) with the
appurtenances unto the said Samuel Hunter and William Maclay and to their Heirs
and Assigns to the only Use Benefit and Behoof of the said Samuel Hunter and William
Maclay and to their Heirs and Assigns for ever as Tennants in Common and not as Join
Tennants Subject to the Purchase Money Interest and Quit Rent now due or hereafte
to become due for the same to the Honorable Proprietaries aforesaid. In Witness whereof
I the said John Lugar have hereto set my hand and seal the nineteenth day of Decemb
in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy Two. John Lugar (L.S.)
Sealed & delivered In the Presence of Sam Maclay Cas: Weitzel — Northumberland
County ss Before me the Subscriber one of his Majestys Justices of the Peace in and for
the said County came the above named John Lugar Party to the foregoing Instrumen
of Writing which he produced and acknowleged to be his Act and Deed and desired that
it might be recorded as such according to Law. In Witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal the nineteenth day of December in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy Two. Thos. Lemon (L.S.)
Recorded the 7th of January A.D. 1777 Wm Maclay

Heirs of John Zerung
to } Deed
John Rush

This Indenture made the third day of October in the
Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between Henry Zerung
Ludwig Zerung Mathias Zerung Philip Zerung Christian Zerung Leonard Kirstetter
and Elizabeth his Wife and Ludwig Shuey in Behalf of John Zerung a minor of which he
is Guardian all of the Province of Pennsylvania [the said Henry Ludwig Mathias Philip
Christian and John being the Sons. and the said Elizabeth wife of the said Leonard Kirstetter being the Daughter of John Zerung late of Bethel Township in the County of Lancaster Yeoman deceased] of the one part and John Rush of Brecknock Township in the
County and Province aforesaid Yeoman of the other part. Whereas by virtue of a Proprietary Warrant bearing Date the day of Anno Domini 17 there was
surveyd unto the said John Zerung (now decd) all that certain Tract or Parcel of Lan
situate on Middle Creek in Penns Township in the County of Northumberland bounde
or adjoining the Lands of John Christian Man Melchior Stock and others containin
about one hundred and Sixty four Acres be the same more or less as by the Draught
of said Survey appears. And Whereas the said John Zerung some time before his decease by Article of agreement written in the German language did sell the above mentione
Tract or Parcell of Land with the appurtenances unto the said John Rush party hereto
for the Consideration of one hundred and Sixty Two Pounds lawful Money of Pennsylvania. as by the said Article of agreement bearing date the Twenty Sixth day of
May Anno Domini 1772 referrence thereto being had more fully and at large appea
And Whereas the said John Zerung since died and not having actually conveyd the
Tract of Land and Premises unto the said John Rush. And the Heirs of the said John
Zerung decd being Willing and desirous to perfect the Title of the said Land unto
the said John Rush upon his paying the Consideration Money agreed for by their da
Father. Now This Indenture Witnesseth That the said Henry Zerung Ludwig
Mathias Zerung
Zerung Philip Zerung Christian Zerung Leonard Kirstetter & Elizabeth his Wife

And Ludwick Shuey for and in Consideration of the Sum of one hundred and Sixty Two Pounds lawful Money of Pennsylvania unto them in hand well and truly paid by the said John Rush at and before the Execution hereof, the Receipt and Payment Whereof is hereby acknowledged, Have and each and every of them Hath, and by these Presents the said Henry Young Ludwick Young Mathias Young Philip Young Christian Young Leonard Kirshtter and Elizabeth his Wife and Ludowick Shuey Do and each and every of them doth grant bargain sell alien remise release enfeoff and confirm unto the said John Rush and to his Heirs and Assigns, all that certain Tract or Parcell of Land situate in Penns Township Northumberland County aforesaid containing about one hundred and Sixty four acres be the same more or less, Together with all and singular the Buildings Improvements ways woods waters watercourses Rights Liberties Privileges Hereditaments and Appurtenances Whatsoever thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining and the Reversions and remainders Rents Issues and Profits thereof. To have and to hold the said Tract or Parcell of Land containing about one hundred and Sixty four Acres of Land Hereditaments and all and singular the Premisses hereby granted and released (or mentioned and intended so to be) with the Appurtenances unto the said John Rush his Heirs and Assigns To the only proper Use Benefit and Behoof of him the said John Rush his Heirs and Assigns for ever Under and Subject to the Remainder of the Purchase Money Interest & Quit-Rent now due or hereafter to become due and payable for the hereby granted Premisses to the chief Lord or Lords of the Fee thereof. And they the said Henry Young Ludwig Young Mathias Young Philip Young Christian Young Leonard Kirshtter & Ludwick Shuey do covenant and Promise grant and agree for themselves their Heirs Executors and Administrators to and with the said John Rush his Heirs & Assigns by these Presents that they the said Henry Young Ludwig Young Mathias Young Philip Young Christian Young Leonard Kirshtter and Ludwick Shuey and their Heirs the said bargained Premisses with the Appurtenances unto the John Rush his Heirs and Assigns for ever against them and their Heirs and against all and every other Person and Persons whomsoever lawfully claiming the same or any part thereof by from or under them or any or either of them Shall and will warrant and for ever defend by these Presents. In Witness the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto interchangeably set their hands and seals the day and Year first above written, Henry Young L.S. Ludwig Young L.S. Mathias Young L.S. Philip Young L.S. Christian Young L.S. Ludwick Shuey L.S. Leonard Kirshtter L.S. Eliz: her X mark Kirshtter L.S. Sealed & delivered in the Presence of Us by all the Granters excepting Leonard Kirshtter and Elizabeth his Wife John Graw Philip Marsteller Sealed and delivered by Leonard Kirshtter and Wife in the Presence of Us Johannes Graw Sebastian Brosius. Received the day of the Date of the within written Indenture of and from the within named John Rush the sum of one hundred and Sixty Two Pounds it being the full consideration in the within Indenture mentioned, we say Recd the same P'r us Henry Young Ludwig Young Mathias Young Philip Young Christian Young Ludwig Shuey Leonard Kirshtter. Witness at signing Johannes Graw Philip Marsteller — Before me the Subscriber one of the Justices of Northumberland County, came John Graw one of the Subscribing Witnesses to the within Indenture, and upon his Solemn Affirmation doth say and Affirm that he was personally present and did see Henry Young Ludwick Young Mathias Young Philip Young Christian Young Leonard Kirshtler and Elizabeth his Wife and Ludowick Shuey sign seal and as their act and Deed deliver the within written Indenture and that he did also see Philip Marsteller and Sebastian Brosius sign their names as Witnesses thereto and that the name John Graw thereto Subscribed is the proper hand Writing of this affirmant and further he saith not — Johnes Graw affirmed before me the day of An: Domini 1774. Benjamin Weiser Justice of the Peace for the County aforesaid — Recorded 21st Jan.y 1777 P Wm Maclay

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and valuable citizen. He is at present serving as school director, and while living at Snydertown filled the office of assessor. In politics he is a Democrat. Fraternally Mr. Hoover holds membership in Danville Lodge, No. 224, F. & A.M., Danville Chapter, No. 239, Royal Arch Masons, and Calvary Commandery, No. 37, K.T., also of Danville.

Mr. Hoover married Emma C. Deibler, daughter of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Reed) Deibler, of Snydertown. They have no children.

GEORGE M. KERSTETTER, a farmer in the upper Plum creek district of Rockefeller township, Northumberland county, was born Oct. 5, 1850, in Cameron township, where his father was born and where his grandfather settled at an early date.

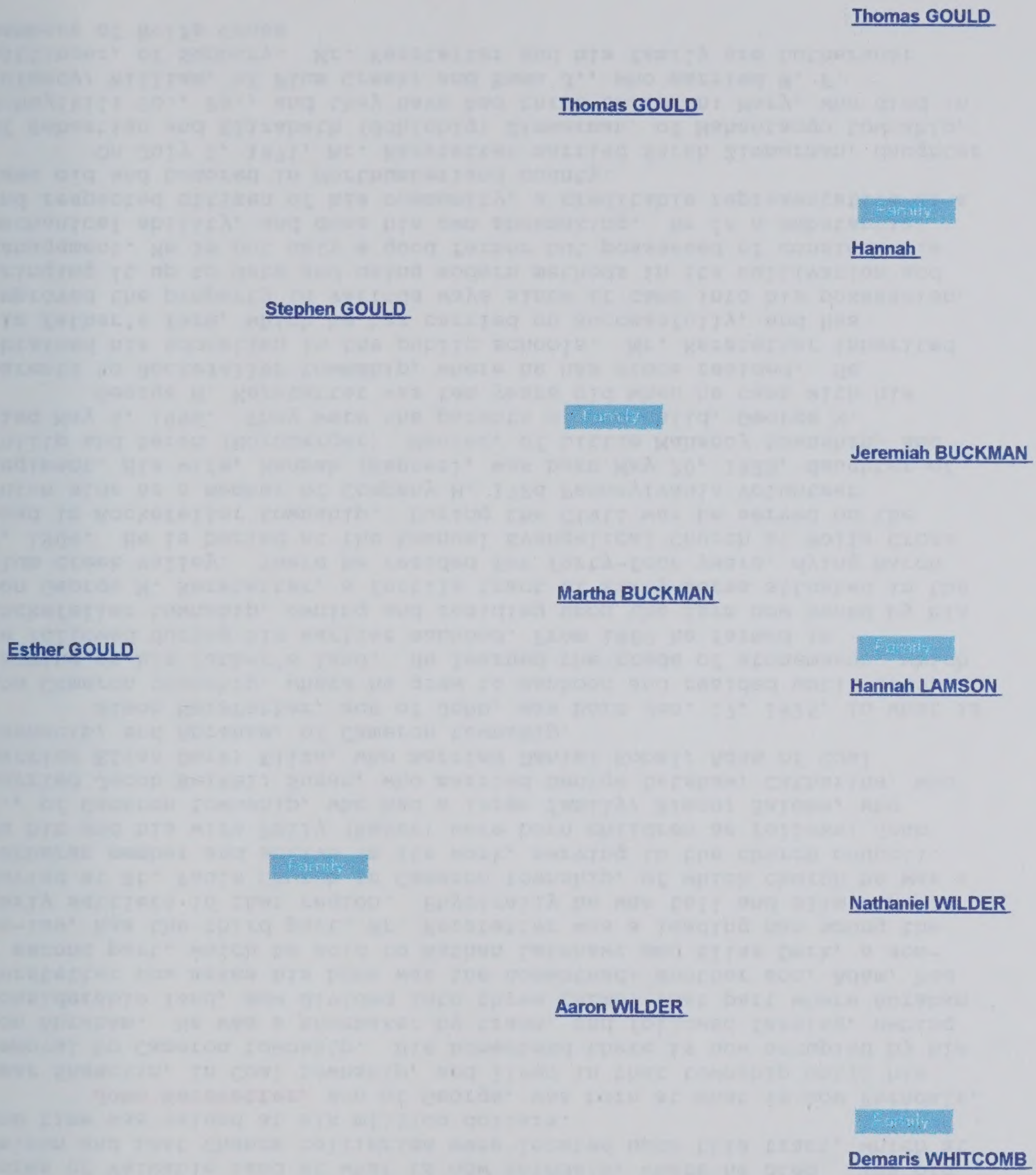
One George Kerstetter came to this country from Germany, and settled near Shamokin, in Northumberland county, where he owned 250 acres of valuable land at what is now Ferndale, where he died. The old Nelson and Last Chance collieries were located upon this tract, which at one time was valued at six million dollars.

John Kerstetter, son of George, was born at what is now Ferndale, near Shamokin, in Coal township, and lived in that township until his removal to Cameron township. His homestead there is now occupied by his son Abraham. He was a shoemaker by trade, and followed farming, owning considerable land, now divided into three farms. That part where Abraham Kerstetter now makes his home was the homestead; another son, Adam, had a second part, which he sold to Nathan Latshaw; and Elias Derk, a son-in-law, has the third part. Mr. Kerstetter was a leading man among the early settlers in that region. Physically he was tall and slim. He is buried at St. Pauls Church in Cameron township, of which church he was a Lutheran member and active in its work, serving in the church council. To him and his wife Polly (Raker) were born children as follows: John F., of Cameron township, who had a large family; Simon; Salome, who married Jacob Weikel; Susan, who married George Latshaw; Catharine, who married Elias Derk; Eliza, who married Daniel Kobel; Adam of Coal township; and Abraham, of Cameron township.

Simon Kerstetter, son of John, was born Jan. 17, 1825, in what is now Cameron township, where he grew to manhood and resided until 1860, farming on his father's land. He learned the trade of stonemason, which he followed during his earlier manhood. From 1860 he farmed in Rockefeller township, owning and residing upon the farm now owned by his son George M. Kerstetter, a fertile tract of sixty acres situated in the Plum creek valley. There he resided for forty-four years, dying March 7, 1904. He is buried at the Emanuel Evangelical Church at Wolfs Cross Road in Rockefeller township. During the Civil war he served on the Union side as a member of Company H, 172d Pennsylvania Volunteer Regiment. His wife, Hannah (Maurer), was born May 20, 1825, daughter of Philip and Sarah (Hornberger) Maurer, of Little Mahanoy township, and died May 4, 1896. They were the parents of one child, George M.

George M. Kerstetter was ten years old when he came with his parents to Rockefeller township, where he has since resided. He obtained his education in the public schools. Mr. Kerstetter inherited his father's farm, which he has carried on successfully, and has improved the property in various ways since it came into his possession, bringing it up to date and using modern methods in its cultivation and management. He is not only a good farmer but possessed of considerable mechanical ability, and does his own shoemaking. He is a substantial and respected citizen of his community, a creditable representative of a name old and honored in Northumberland county.

On July 2, 1871, Mr. Kerstetter married Sarah Zimmerman, daughter of Sebastian and Elizabeth (Schlobig) Zimmerman, of Mahantango township, Schuylkill Co., Pa., and they have had three children: Mary, who died in infancy; William, of Plum Creek; and Emma J., who married W. F. Bittinger, of Sunbury. Mr. Kerstetter and his family are Lutherans; members of Wolfs Cross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Road Church, which he served officially for many years as a member of the church council.

Abraham Kerstetter, son of John and Polly (Raker) Kerstetter, was born on the homestead farm, and was reared to farming. Soon after he was twenty years old he began to work in the coal mine's at Shamokin, and he has become an experienced miner, having continued to follow the work for a number of years. He helped to build the Burnside breaker, and worked at that colliery as well as at Bear Valley and Trevorton. When quite young he learned the trade of shoe-maker, which he followed for some years in Cameron township, while living on the homestead. He now lives on part of his father's property, in Cameron township. He is a Democrat in politics, was supervisor of Cameron township for many years, and has been prominent in the administration of the affairs of St. Pauls Church, in Cameron township, of which he and his family are members, and in which he has held office for over a quarter of a century. His wife, Lydia Ann Derk (Derck), is a daughter of Daniel and ____ (Wheary) Derk, farming people of Cameron township; Mr. Derk was also a gunsmith and a man of general mechanical ability, having a little shop for his work of this kind. Nine children have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Kerstetter; Katie, who is unmarried; Francis; Emeline, who died when eighteen years old; Peter, of Cameron township; Harry, of Cameron township; Franklin D., of Cameron township; Hettie, Mrs. George Wheary; John D., of Cameron township; and Sallie, who died aged thirteen years.

Francis Kerstetter, son of Abraham, was born Nov. 13, 1865, in Cameron township, was reared on the farm, and has made his living practically since he was eight years old. At that tender age he began work about the coal mines as slate picker, then looked after the feeding gates, oiled wagons, drove mules and eventually became a conductor on the "dinkey" engine, bringing coal from the mines to the breaker. He then drove inside and brought coal out of the earth; drove wagons outside, and dumped wagons, working around the mines for twenty-four years in all, during which he was a regular miner for many years. When about sixteen he was earning a man's wages. In the spring of 1898 Mr. Kerstetter settled down to farming on the place he has since occupied in Rockefeller township, having ninety acres (formerly the Peter M. Reitz farm) in a high state of cultivation. He is an energetic man, proficient in the use of tools, makes his own harness and also does his own shoemaking, and frequently does work in the latter line for neighbors. Since 1904 he has also acted as agent for a fertilizer company, selling ninety tons of fertilizer per annum.

In November, 1888, Mr. Kerstetter married Sarah S. Henninger, daughter of Nathan Henninger, of Cameron township, and they have had seven children: William and Harvey (twins, the latter dying in infancy), Nathaniel, Bertha S., Milton, Arabella and Rosa Edna. Mr. Kerstetter and his family worship at the Emanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church, which he has served as deacon. Politically he is a Democrat with independent proclivities.

BENJAMIN A. BEALOR, M. D., who is engaged in the practice of medicine at Shamokin, Northumberland county, was born April 19, 1879, at Herndon, this county, and is the eldest son of a distinguished medical practitioner of this section, John W. Bealor. He is a member of an old Pennsylvania family long ago identified with Berks county and for several generations with Perry county.

Mark Bealor, the first of this family of whom we have record, lived in Germany until his immigration to America. He first settled in Berks county, Pa., thence moving to Perry county, where he passed the remainder of his life, engaged in farming. He served in the Mexican war.

John Bealor, son of Mark, and the next in the line of descent to

Easter WILDER

Family

Joseph CLARK

Priscilla CLARK

Family

Sarah WILSON

Kerstetter

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	Herman, John	Snyder	————Miller, 1st wife
	Henry, James	Bedford	Elizabeth ————
	Henderson, Matthew	Cumberland	Margaret H. ————
	Hessler, Ens. John	Snyder	Susanna ————
ca. 1751	Herrold, Capt. J. George	"	Anna Maria Elizabeth Benesch
1775	" John	Westmoreland	Barbara Altman
ca. 1780	" Lt. Simon	Snyder	Elizabeth ————
	Hettrick, Christian	Union	Agnes ————
1785	Hill, Henry	Northumberland	Rachool Swartz (Peter, Sr.)
4/1/1784	Histed, Thaddeus	Erie	Esther Sayles
	Histed, Abraham	Northampton	Magdalene Strickler
	Hillis, Dr. William	Washington	Jane Carruthers
	Hinkle, Nathan	Lancaster	Marie Magdalene Zureker
1784	" Wendell	"	Elizabeth Fox
	Hobaugh, Philip	(8th Pa.)	Catherine Huver (Huber, Hoover)
	Hoffman, Christian	Dauphin	Susan Deibler (Albright)
	" John	"	————Kauffman
4/22/1772	" J. Nicholas	"	Margaret Harman, Berks County
11/14/1776	Holliday, Adam	Bedford	Sarah Campbell
	" Capt. John	Blair	Dorcas ————
	" William, Sr.	"	Mary McClellan
ca. 1797	" Samuel	Erie	Jeannotte Campbell
	Hoffman, Henry	(Indiana)	Margaret Boo 1st wife
12/25/1788	" "		Mary Ann Drum, 2nd wife
	Hogeland, Capt. John	Washington	Jane ————
	Holeman, Eli	Union	Agnes McGrady (Alexander)
	Holmes, William	Cumberland	Elizabeth Love
	Hood, William	Northumberland	————Lee (maybe daughter of Maj.John)
	Horton, Daniel	Chester	Martha Terry
1/6/1803	Hoskinson, Basil	Erie	Eleanor Downs
	Hostorman, Jacob, Jr.	Center	Christina ————
	Hostorman, Col. Peter	Snyder	Elizabeth ————
	Houser, Jacob	"	Susanna ————
	" Martin, Sr.	Cumberland	Elizabeth Hoss
	" " Jr.	"	Mary Snavely
5/6/1773	Houston, Dr. John	Lancaster	Susan Wright
6/28/1773	Hubbell, John, Jr.	Erie	Sarah Curtis
	Huber, Henry	Montour	Margaret Kern
4/11/1763	Huck (Hucki), Paul	Berks	Juliana Zweier
	Huff, Benjamin	Warren	Mary ————
	Huckleberry, George	Westmoreland	Rosanna Wise
	Huffman, John	Lancaster	Margaret,Upp, 1st wife
1786	" "	"	Nancy Sprenkle, 2nd wife
	Hulbert, John	Erie	Lucy ————
ca. 1788	Hueings, Thomas	Perry	Elizabeth Watts (Gen. Fred)
1787	Hume, John	Lancaster	————Crawford
	Hummel, Geo. Adam	Snyder	Magdalene ————
3/3/1789	" J. George	Northumberland	Christiana ————
	" Frederick, Sr.	Dauphin	Rosina ———— 1st wife
1769	" Frederick, Sr.	"	Barbara Blessing, 2nd wife
	" Frederick, Jr.	"	Rachael Rickert (Jacob)
	" David	"	Mary Toot (David)
	Hunter, James, Sr.	Erie	Elizabeth Hunter, Dauphin Co.
1796	Hunt, Josiah	(8th Pa.)	Bethia Reeve
	Hunter, John	Cumberland	Mary ————
	" Patrick	Washington	Nancy Jack
3/25/1786	Huston, Mathias	Northumberland	Hannah Cox, Philadelphia, Pa.
	" Lt. William		Susanna ————

	Iddings, William	Union	Eve ————
ca. 1782	Irwin, John	Cumberland	Mary Welsh

	Irwin, Capt William	Union	————Armstrong, 1st wife
	" " "	"	Jane Forster (John)
	Isherwood, P. Francis	Erie	Elizabeth ————
1/3/1782	Jackson, Lyman	"	Dodamia Durham, Pownal, Vt.
	Jacquet, Lt. Joseph	(1st Pa.)	Susan ————
	Jarrett, Lt. Jacob	Snyder	Catherine Ott (J. George)
1781	John, Jehu	Chester	Elizabeth David
	Johnston, Lt. Michael	Lancaster	Ruth ————
1793	" Thomas	?	Sarah Foster
4/17/1775	Jones, Benjamin	Union	Rachael ————
	" Isaiah	Warren	Mary Randolph, 1st wife
	" "	"	Mary Lindsey, (David), 2nd wife
	Jordan, John	Chester	Sarah Scott
9/7/1786	Judd, Freeman, Sr.	Erie	Deborah Boughton, Norwalk, Conn.
1787	Justice, James	Cumberland	Nancy Campbell

	Kantz, Christian	Snyder	Anna Margaret Menges (J. Adam)
	Kauffman, Philip	Northumberland	Magdalene Seaman
1786	Kean, John	Dauphin	Mary Whitehill (Robert)
1788	Keesling, John	Berks	Eva Miller
	Kelker, Anthony	Dauphin	Mary Magdalene Meister (George)
	Keller, John	Blair	Dorothea ————
1765	" John Christian	Dauphin	Catherine Delp (J. Nicholas)
1780	Kelly, John	Erie	Mary Robinson
	Kelly, Maj. John	Union	Sarah Poak (James)
	Kemplin, Capt. Thomas	"	Mary ————
	Kennedy, Dr. Samuel	Chester	Sarah ————
	Kepler, John	Northampton	Helen De. Avarie
	" Matthias	?	Elizabeth Shaffer
	Kern, J. Yost	Snyder	Eva Maria Weiss of Germany
1785	Kerstetter, George	"	Elizabeth Snyder
	" Leonard, Jr.	"	Catherine Richter (Christian)
	" Martin	"	Elizabeth ————
	Kesler, Jacob	York	Catherine ————
	Kessler, George	Snyder	Barbara Braucher
	Kestler (Kneedler)Fred	Northumberland	Catherine
	Kidd, Robert	(New York)	Jane ————
1781 or 1782	Kilburn, Benjamin	Cumberland	Diana Denning, Carlisle, Pa.
	Kindig, Jacob	Snyder	Mrs. John Snyder
	King, Adonijah	Erie	Diadema ———— 1st wife
6/1/1786	King, "	"	Rachael Bliss(Tim),Royalston,Mass
	" Capt. Robert	"	Mary McCullough
	Kinney, Jacob	Snyder	Catherine ————
ca. 1776	Kinsloe, Patrick	Mifflin	Dorothy West
ca. 1772	Kinter, Philip	Erie	Mary ————
	Kirk, William	Cumberland	Jane ————
1784	Kimmer (Keimer),Nicholas	(4th Pa.)	Sarah Taylor
1778	Kleckner, John	Union	Anna B. Koch of Northampton Co.
	Kline, Barnhart	Snyder	Margaret ————
	Klinesmith, Baltzer	Union	Mary ————
	Klase, Valentine	Northumberland	Mary Eva Smith
	Klose, Ernest	Northampton	Margaret ————
	Knouse, Christian	"	Elizabeth Hoffman
1780	" Abraham	"	Elizabeth Boeckel (Bickel)
ca. 1767	" Daniel	Lehigh	Elizabeth Ritter
ca. 1755	" "	Northampton	Salome ————
	" David	"	Christina ————
3/17/1771	" Geo. Frederick	"	————Rhoads (Francis William) 1st
	" " "	"	Mary M. Saeger (J. Christian)
	" Gottfried, Jr.	"	Anna Maria Griesemer (John)

(attending Sunbury high school), L. Lizzie, Mary M., Samuel F., John M., E. Paul, Catharine L., Eva J. and J. Daniel.

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Leonard Kerstetter (2), son of Leonard, was a farmer in the western part of Cameron township, where he and his wife, Barbara (Heller), are buried. They had five children: John, who died young; Simon Peter; Isaac; Catharine, who married Daniel Kraemer; Salome, who married Solomon Gottshall.

Philip Kerstetter, son of Leonard, lived at Trevorton. He was a farmer for some years, in his later life hauling coal. He was twice married, and by his first wife (who was a Schleigh) had five children, Robert, Elizabeth, Sallie, Henry (who died young) and Adam. To his second marriage, with Catharine (Eisenhart) Stein, widow of Jonas Stein, were born three children: Felix, Mary and Catharine.

John Kerstetter, son of Leonard, was a farmer in Cameron township. His children were: John, Abraham, Adam, Salome and Elizabeth.

George Kerstetter, son of Leonard, was a farmer and landowner of Cameron township, and is buried there. His wife was a Derck, and their children were: Daniel, George and Levi.

Daniel Kerstetter, son of Leonard, lived in the eastern part of Cameron township, near Gowen City. He engaged in work around the coal mines. He married Lusenna Wary, and among their children are Alexander and Joseph.

Michael Kerstetter, son of Leonard, lived in Bear Valley, two miles from Shamokin, where he did work about the coal mines. He married a Martz, and they had a large family. Their son William is out West. Charles was another son.

Simon Peter Kerstetter, son of Leonard (2) and grandson of Leonard, was born June 3, 1840, and spent most of his life in Cameron township, working in the coal mines. On April 15, 1866, he married Elizabeth Hingham, and of their four children three are deceased, the survivor, Benjamin Franklin Kerstetter, being a farmer. He sold the farm in Little Mahanoy and moved onto their property in Cameron township. Benjamin F. works at the coal mines and on his small farm. He married R. Agnes Long, and their children are: Elizabeth, Lloyd, George, Francis and Tretha (now deceased).

Benjamin C. Long, son of John, was born Dec. 30, 1841, and was reared on the home farm near Augustaville now owned by Albert Witmer. He worked for his parents until he was twenty-two years old, at which time he moved to the place of his father-in-law, Samuel Kelly, in Plum Creek valley. He lived and farmed there from 1863 until his retirement, in 1901, a period of thirty-eight years, during which he prospered and acquired the farm, which consists of 120 acres of valuable land in Rockefeller township. This tract is all fertile, level land, and the place is equipped with fine, large buildings, erected by Samuel Kelly, who was one of the thrifty farmers of his day in that vicinity; he was a man of means and influence in his neighborhood, owning considerable good land, including the farm of 130 acres adjoining the 120-acre tract above mentioned. In 1901, when he gave up arduous labor, Mr. Long moved to Sunbury, where he has since made his home, but he still retains the ownership of the farm, which he rents to his son Samuel E. He also owns his residence at No. 209 Catawissa avenue, Sunbury.

Mr. Long has been prominent and active in church work and local public affairs. He served nineteen consecutive years as school director of Rockefeller township, having been elected for seven terms (twenty-one years), but gave up the last two years of his seventh term upon his removal to Sunbury. He served as tax collector at a period when nearly all the bills were paid in silver, and when out on a collecting trip would put the money in a bag under the seat of his buggy. He and his family were long leading members of the Lutheran Church at Plum Creek, but since removing to Sunbury have joined the church there. Mr. Long has held many church offices, and has served a number of terms in the church council. Wherever he is known his opinion is valued and his advice sought, and he is much esteemed by his associates in every relation of life.

In 1862 Mr. Long married Rosanna H. Kelly,

Schankweiler, and Smith & Herner, in turn. For some years after Smith & Herner discontinued business the store was closed, but Mr. Paul reopened it after moving to this location, in 1876, and two years later he succeeded in having the post office re-established, it having been removed to a place then known as Maurey's Hotel, near St. Jacob's Church. The store and post office are the most easterly in the township. Mr. Paul owns another farm besides his home place, a tract of 160 acres formerly known as the Daniel Howerter place, also in the eastern end of the township. Mr. Paul has been intrusted with various public responsibilities, was assessor of the township for some years, and was elected justice of the peace, but did not care to assume the duties of that position. On political questions he is a Democrat.

In 1874 Mr. Paul married Amelia Haas, daughter of Nathan and Elizabeth (Knorr) Haas, and they have had a family of four children: Sophronia, wife of Herbert C. Knerr, living in Shamokin, Pa.; Francis M., who married Katie Kehler and lives in Shamokin; George V., and Mabel C. Mr. Paul and his family worship at St. Jacob's Union Church, and he has been one of its useful members, having served eight years as deacon, and being present treasurer of the Sunday school, which office he has filled continuously since 1894.

WILLIAM C. BOYER, who has an up-to-date meat market and grocery in the borough of Sunbury, is one of the younger business men of that place whose energy and progressiveness have been marked factors in the bringing about of present conditions in its commercial life. He has been a resident of Sunbury since 1900. Mr. Boyer was born in Montour county, Pa., Nov. 13, 1876, and is a member of an old family of that region whose founder there, Henry Boyer, moved from Berks county, this State. He followed farming until his death, and is buried at the Follmer Church. He and his wife Catharine had children as follows: Jacob, Henry, Christopher, Susan, Benjamin, Phebe (Mrs. Thomas Bieber), Leah (Mrs. George Bieber) and Maria (Mrs. Henry Roul).

Benjamin Boyer, son of Henry, lived in Montour county, had a small farm, and engaged in farming and the manufacture of brick. He died Oct. 20, 1889, aged seventy-six years, and is buried at the Follmer Church. To him and his wife Mary (Miller), daughter of Samuel Miller, were born these children: Samuel M. lives at Pottsgrove, Pa., where he is serving as postmaster; George Francis lives in Michigan; Catharine died in infancy; Zacharias M. lives at Milton, Pa.; Charles P. lives on the homestead near Pottsgrove; U. Grant lives at Clarkstown, Pennsylvania.

Zacharias M. Boyer, son of Benjamin, was born May 6, 1851, on the homestead in Montour county, Pa. He was reared upon the farm and also worked in his father's brickyard. In 1878 he moved to Milton, Northumberland county, where he still makes his home, and has ever since been engaged in the teaming business. He is an industrious and thrifty man, and is regarded by all who know him as an excellent citizen. On Dec. 30, 1875, Mr. Boyer married Emma Lattimere, daughter of Robert and Juliann (Gross) Lattimere, and they have the following children: William C. is mentioned below; Celia married Myron Fowler; Myrtle married Joseph Boyer; Mary; Catharine; Bertha; Robert.

William C. Boyer obtained his education in the common schools of Chillisquaque township, Northumberland county. He was employed at farm work until he reached the age of sixteen, after which he worked in the Godcharles iron works at Milton for about eight years. On Jan. 7, 1900, he arrived in Sunbury, where he completed an apprenticeship as butcher, in 1904 engaging in the butcher business on his own account, at his present location, No. 330 Line street, corner of Catawissa avenue. In 1906 he added a line of groceries, and he has since continued both branches of the business, having built up a large trade, one of the most extensive enjoyed by any tradesman in the city. He employs three men steadily. Mr. Boyer carries a very complete and desirable stock of groceries, both staples and fancy lines, and his meat market has the highest reputation. His prosperity is well deserved, for he has worked hard to attain his standing, and is much respected in business circles as well as among his patrons.

On June 23, 1905, Mr. Boyer married Mary Amelia Martz, daughter of William J. and Louisa (Lenig) Martz, of Sunbury, and they have four children: Mildred E., Charles W., Geraldine and Rachel. Mr. and Mrs. Boyer are members of Zion's Lutheran Church at Sunbury. Fraternally he belongs to the Royal Arcanum, the Modern Woodmen and the P. O. S. of A., all at Sunbury.

EMANUEL WILSON KERSTETTER, proprietor of a thriving general store at No. 619 West Pine street, Shamokin, is a native of Schuylkill county but a member of an old Northumberland county family. He is a descendant in the fifth generation from George Kerstetter, the founder of the family here.

George Kerstetter came to this country from Germany and settled near Shamokin, in Northumberland county, where he owned 250 acres of valuable land at what is now Ferndale, where he died. The old Nelson and Last Chance collieries were located upon this tract, which at one time was valued at six million dollars.

John Kerstetter, son of George, was born at what is now Ferndale, near Shamokin, and died in Cameron township, this county. He was a shoemaker by trade. His children were: Simon; John F.;

Adam, living in Coal township; Abraham, living in Cameron township; Susan, who married George Latsha; Kittie, who married Elias Derk; Salena, who married Jacob Weikel; Eliza, who married Daniel Kobel.

John F. Kerstetter, son of John, was born Oct. 30, 1817, in Little Mahanoy township, Northumberland county, and died April 29, 1875, in Cameron township, where he is buried, at St. Peter's Lutheran church. He followed the stonemason's trade in the Mahantango Valley and owned a farm of seventy-six acres in Cameron township. His wife, Abbie (Kramer), daughter of Christian and Lydia (Weary) Kramer, died in December, 1905, aged eighty-two years. They had a large family, viz.: Elizabeth married Alfred Schroder; Hettie married Samuel Croffert; Joel is mentioned below; Seth lives near Gosstown; Nathaniel lives at Mount Carmel; Helena married Jonathan Long; Henry lives on the old homestead in Cameron township; Lewis, born Aug. 20, 1854, a resident of Shamokin, married Mary A. Stahl, and their children are Laura Ella, Daniel H., Oswald W. and Lewis Oliver; Andrew is deceased; James is deceased; Jacob lives at Shamokin; Joseph lives on the old homestead in Cameron township; Susan married James Latsha, of Mount Carmel; Catharine married Amos Rhoads and they are living in the West.

Joel Kerstetter, son of John F., was born in 1848 in Northumberland county, and has followed farming all his life, now living in Upper Mahanoy township, where he owns a farm of ninety acres. He is a prosperous and respected citizen of his community. He married Hattie Dunkelberger, daughter of Joseph and Rachel (Federolf) Dunkelberger, and they have had seven children, namely: Emanuel W., Amelia, William, James, Mary, Carrie and Ida.

Emanuel Wilson Kerstetter was born Sept. 10, 1869, at Klingerstown, Schuylkill Co., Pa., and received his education in the schools of Upper Mahanoy township and at the Gratz Academy, in Dauphin county. He had good advantages, and after leaving school as a pupil taught for seven years in all, being thus engaged in Upper Mahanoy township, this county, and in Eldred township, Schuylkill county. Coming to Shamokin in 1894, he found employment with N. C. Wolverton, as clerk, remaining with him about four years, since which time he has been engaged in business on his own account. He has a fine store at No. 619 West Pine street, and carries a stock of general merchandise which meets the local demand. He has good judgment in buying and anticipates the wants of his customers, whom he holds by satisfactory goods and prompt service. His store is well patronized and has a steadily growing trade. Mr. Kerstetter is regarded as one of the progressing business men of the borough. He is a member of the Board of Trade and takes an intelligent interest in all projects which have for their object the welfare of the community, the promotion of trade activities and the encouragement of up-to-date public institutions.

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Franklin Pierce Kerstetter was born Sept. 10, 1856, at [illegible], Northumberland Co., Pa., and received his education in the schools of Upper Mahanoy township and at the Union Academy, in Dauphin county. He had good advantages, and after having taught at a good length for seven years in all, being thus engaged in Upper Mahanoy township, this county, and in [illegible] township, Schuylkill county. Coming to Shamokin in 1881, he formed a partnership with [illegible], continuing with him about four years, since which time he has been engaged in business on his own account. He has a fine store at [illegible] West [illegible] and carries a stock of general merchandise, [illegible]. He is [illegible] in [illegible], [illegible]. Mr. Kerstetter is regarded as one of the progressive men.

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On Dec. 25, 1881, Mr. Kerstetter married Alice [illegible], daughter of Isaac and Malinda [illegible], and six children have been born to them: Mabel, Charles, Hattie, [illegible], Laura and Irene. Mr. Kerstetter is a member of the Lutheran Church and Sunday school, and socially he unites with the P. O. S. of A.

LEONARD KERSTETTER was an early settler in the western part of Cameron township, Northumberland county. He owned a tract of [illegible] hundred acres, on which he farmed, [illegible] in the place, and died aged about eighty years. He is buried in Cameron township. In 1778 the names of Leonard and Martin Kerstetter appear among the taxables of Mahanoy township, and in the first assessment of Cameron township, in [illegible], Leonard's name appears among the taxables. His name appears in [illegible] among the members of St. Peter's Lutheran and Reformed Church, in Upper Mahanoy township. His wife's maiden name was [illegible], and she is buried by his side. They had a large family, namely: Leonard, Philip, John, George, Daniel, Michael, Susan [illegible], Hannah [illegible], Mary Elizabeth married Michael [illegible], and died in [illegible], aged one hundred years, three months, eighteen days, at the home of her nephew, [illegible] Kerstetter, in West Cameron township; she is buried at St. Peter's church in that township.

Leonard Kerstetter, son of Leonard, was a farmer in the western part of Cameron township, where he and his wife, Barbara [illegible], are buried. They had five children: John, who died young; [illegible]; Catharine, who married [illegible]; [illegible], who married Solomon [illegible].

Philip Kerstetter, son of Leonard, lived at [illegible]. He was a farmer for some years, in his later life building mills. He was twice married, and by his first wife had two children, Isabel and Adam. To his second marriage, with Catharine [illegible], were born three children: Polly, Mary and Catharine.

John Kerstetter, son of Leonard, was a farmer in Cameron township. His children were: John, Abraham, Adam, Solomon and Elizabeth.

George Kerstetter, son of Leonard, was a farmer and landowner of Cameron township, and is buried there. His wife was a [illegible], and their children were: Daniel, George and Levi.

Daniel Kerstetter, son of Leonard, lived in the eastern part of Cameron township, near [illegible]

City. He engaged in work around the coal mines. He married Lusenna Wary, and among their children are Alexander and Joseph.

Michael Kerstetter, son of Leonard, lived in Bear Valley, two miles from Shamokin, where he did work about the coal mines. He married a Martz, and they had a large family. Their son William is out West. Charles was another son.

Simon Peter Kerstetter, son of Leonard and grandson of Leonard, was born June 3, 1840, and spent most of his life in Cameron township, working in the coal mines. He now, however, lives in Little Mahanoy. On April 15, 1866, he married Elizabeth Bingaman, and of their four children three are deceased, the survivor, Benjamin Franklin Kerstetter, being a farmer in Little Mahanoy township, where he owns the original John Dunkelberger homestead. He married R. Agnes Long, and their children are: Elizabeth, Lloyd, George, Francis and Theresa.

WILLIAM HENRY FRANCIS, proprietor of the "Central House" at Trevorton, is one of the progressive business men of that town and is regarded as one of its reliable citizens. He was born July 19, 1874, at Excelsior, this county, son of John Paul Francis, who is now living retired at Trevorton.

Matthew Francis, his grandfather, was born in 1808 in Cornwall, England, where he followed ore mining. Coming to America in 1840, he settled at Pottsville, Schuylkill Co., Pa., where he followed mining until his death a few years later, in 1847. His wife, Sarah (Paul), had come to America with their children in the fall of 1842, her husband meeting them at New York City. She survived Mr. Francis over forty years, dying Nov. 29, 1891, aged eighty-three years, six months, fourteen days. The children were: Matthew, who died in Iowa; John Paul; Joseph, who died in Philadelphia; Sarah, widow of Charles Webb, now living at Shenandoah, Schuylkill county; Jane, who married William Botham, of Newcastle, Pa.; Mary, widow of James Clifford, living at Allentown, Pa.; and William Henry, a resident of Trevorton.

John Paul Francis, son of Matthew, was born Feb. 26, 1836, in Cornwall, England, and was six years old when his mother brought him to America. At the early age of eight he began picking slate at the breaker, and in time became a miner, which occupation he followed for about forty years, becoming foreman, in which capacity he served at the Glendower colliery, near Minersville, Schuylkill county, and at the Enterprise colliery, operated by Thomas Baumgardner & Co. Having settled in the Mahanoy Valley, in Cameron township, Northumberland county, he followed farming for thirty-four years before his retirement from active labor. In 1909 he removed to Trevorton, where he has since led a retired life. Mr. Francis has long been an ardent Republican in politics, and served as committeeman of his party in Cameron township, where he was also elected to the school board. He is a member of the Methodist Church, and has always taken an interest in everything affecting the public good. During the Civil war he enlisted, in April, 1861, in Company B, 14th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, in which he served three months as a private, being discharged at Carlisle, Pa., in August.

Mr. Francis first married Eliza Jane Craze, daughter of William Craze, of Schuylkill county, Pa., and she died in 1888, the mother of seven children, namely: Thomas M., born April 18, 1864, died March 22, 1866; Jemima, born Oct. 1, 1865, married Benjamin Machmer, of Trevorton; John H., born July 4, 1867, died Sept. 19, 1890; Emma Jane, born July 7, 1869, died Feb. 6, 1871; Joseph F., born July 6, 1871, married Ada Kline, daughter of Joseph, and they have one child, Paul A. (they live at Trevorton); William Henry was born July 19, 1874; Eliza H., born Dec. 16, 1876, died in July, 1877. For his second wife Mr. Francis married Mary Margaret Holzapfel, daughter of Philip M. and Anna M. (Ernst) Holzapfel, natives of Germany who came to America and settled in Cameron township, Northumberland Co., Pa., where they lived and died. Mr. and Mrs. Francis have had children as follows: Benjamin H., born Oct. 18, 1888, died Aug. 11, 1903; Stanley E., born Oct. 23, 1890, and Wilfred P., born Dec. 30, 1892, are at home; Carrie G., born Sept. 9, 1896, died Aug. 1, 1907; Elva B., born Aug. 17, 1899, is in school.

William Henry Francis, son of John Paul Francis by his first marriage, went with his parents to the Mahanoy Valley when a boy and there grew up, attending the local public schools in his earlier years, and in time commencing work at the mines. He was thus engaged for about fifteen years, at the North Franklin colliery. For a short time following he had a grocery business at Trevorton, in June, 1907, buying out the interest of D. N. Berkheiser in the "Central Hotel," which he has since conducted. It is a well known hotel stand, and Mr. Francis has shown considerable business ability in the manner in which he has carried it on. He is ambitious and a good manager, and has every prospect of taking a permanent place among the substantial business men of the town. He has served four years as auditor of Zerbe township, and has been quite active in local political circles as a worker in the Republican party, having been township committeeman for four terms.

In 1898 Mr. Francis married Sarah Ann Reed, youngest daughter of Emanuel Reed, of Trevorton, and they have one son, Franklin Reed Francis.

Peter Reed, Mrs. Francis's paternal grandfather, was born in Schuylkill county, Pa., and when only

sixth day of July next and an account of his administration at or before the twenty-sixth day of June, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand, seven hundred and seventy; which will of the said Nicholas Emerich, deceased, was duly proved by the solemn oath of George Oberdorff and Jaque Baral, the Subscribing Witnesses to the said will, but being in the German Language could not be recorded. The will was proved the 16th of June, 1769; letters of administration, the 26th of same month. Examined by James Read, deputy register.

Descendants of Valentine Emerick live in Center county, near Center Hall. One is a doctor, and his sister is married to an attorney who has a number of Emrich family papers.

Other wills recorded are those of Jacob Emerich (1803); Adam Emerich (1809); Balzer Emerich (1810); Adam Emerich (1813); John Emerich (1816); Leonard Emerich (1834); Christian Emerich (1840); Hannah Emerich (1842); Barbara Emerich (1849); George Emerich (1865). Guardians were appointed for John and George Emerich in 1809; for Mary and Catharine Emerich in 1810; for a child of John Emerich (deceased) and for Peter and Joseph Emerich, 1815.

There was a John Nicholas Emerick, born in 1749, who came to this country in 1774, and engaged in the fur trade as a partner of John Jacob Astor, founder of the celebrated New York family. Astor, also a German, born in 1763 near Heidelberg, was engaged in the manufacture of musical instruments with his brother in London, and came to America in 1783, to Baltimore, with the idea of disposing of some of his instruments. He was the first regular dealer in that line in this country. Having exchanged musical instruments for furs, in New York, he accidentally entered into the business upon which his great fortune was founded. Returning to London with his stock, he disposed of it to such advantage that he speedily made another trip. In time he came to invest largely in real estate in New York, where he made his home until his death, in 1848. (See "Frolic and Fun," by Isabel Allardyce, 1907). John Nicholas Emerick, who was his partner in the fur business for thirty years, was stationed at Berlin and was probably the best known agent in Europe in that line of trade. He never married, leaving all his property to the children of two brothers in the United States. According to tradition Astor and Emerick entered into an agreement to the effect that no settlement of their partnership affairs was to be made for a certain number of years after the death of either. So far as the descendants of John Michael Emerick—supposed to have been a brother of John Nicholas Emerick—are concerned, no settlement has ever been reached. Michael Emerick, late of Lower Mahanoy township, Northumberland county, father of the present Dr. M. L. Emerick, of that section, and grandson of John Michael, frequently referred to the family's claim to this estate and his hopes that his children would gain their legacy. The estate was reputed to be so vast as to stimulate the activities of possible beneficiaries. Franklin Square, Philadelphia, is part of the property involved. Some of the money is in banks at Bremen, Germany. On July 28, 1886, there was a press inquiry and notice to the heirs of the estate of Nicholas Emerick, and newspaper articles relating to the matter which have appeared at various times are preserved by members of the family as possible clews. Several Emericks in different parts of the country are reputed to have received money as heirs, and efforts are being made to have the matter closed up.

John Michael Emerick, the ancestor of the Emericks and Emricks of Northumberland county with which this article is concerned, was born Sept. 6, 1757, and had brothers and sisters as follows: Elizabeth, born April 18, 1752 (Mrs. Groover); Anna Catherine, born Sept. 9, 1754; Mary Barbara and John, twins, born July 12, 1760; Rose Elizabeth, born Nov. 20, 1763; Henry Landis, born July 30, 1767; Samuel, born Oct. 1, 1769.

John Michael Emerick, who died Nov. 14, 1835 (this does not agree with family record which says "he died aged thirty-eight years"), is buried on the farm now owned by John Michael Emerick, but which at that time was the property of Balthaser Bordner. A translation of an article of agreement made Nov. 29, 1784, between Martin Kerstetter, of Mahanoy township, Northumberland County, Pa., and Michael Emrich, of Bethel township, Berks Co., Pa., shows that Martin Kerstetter sells to Michael Emrich a tract of land located in Mahanoy township containing 150 acres for 160 pounds; 25 pounds on above date; 25 pounds on May 1, 1785; 10 pounds on Oct. 1, 1786; and 10 pounds yearly thereafter until paid. In article of agreement entered into between George and Michael Emrich, both of Mahanoy township, Northumberland county, and John Weidenhammer, from Richmond township, Berks county, parties of first part bound themselves to pay John Weidenhammer the sum of 166 pounds, 17 shillings, fourpence, lawful money, to be paid April 18, 1821. The same parties of first part agree to pay a like sum in 1822. A like sum they appear to have paid in 1820.

John Michael Emerick married Anna Catharine Pontius, born April 14, 1757, died March 11, 1838, and to them were born the following children: John, who never married, located in Ohio; (John) George is mentioned fully below; Sarah Marie, born April 28, 1789, died about 1871-72, married Jacob Spotts (born June 18, 1788, died June 14, 1852, one of the six children, two sons and four

daughters, of Johannes and Maria Spatz, the former born March 24, 1762, died Nov. 24, 1856; the latter born July 5, 1765, died Aug. 5, 1834); Catharine, born March 11, 1791, married Michael Lenker, and died Sept. 18, 1860; Elizabeth, born Aug. 11, 1785, married a Latsha, and died June 26, 1861; Michael, born in 1794, located on a farm adjoining the homestead, and died in 1873; Anna Mary, born in 1792, was married to Martin Kerstetter (the ceremony being performed by Adam Lenker, J. P., and witnessed by George Emrich, George Wolf and Michael Lenker), and died aged sixty-two years, eight months, eight days.

(John) George Emerick, son of John Michael, born March 9, 1788, died in 1871, and is buried at Zion's (Stone Valley) Church, of which he and his family were Lutheran members. His will, made April 25, 1870, was proved June 7, 1872. He came to Northumberland county in 1813, making the journey with one wagon, and became a farmer in Lower Mahanoy township, cultivating a large tract of land. His wife, Eva Magdalena (Zartman), daughter of Martin Zartman, born Oct. 8, 1795, died in 1876, and she, too, is buried at the Stone Valley Church. They were the parents of thirteen children, born as follows: George, April 23, 1813; Jacob, Dec. 21, 1814; Rebecca, Sept. 12, 1816 (married Charles Brosius); Benjamin, Feb. 1, 1818 (had children); Sarah, Nov. 7, 1819 (married Jonas Snyder); John, Dec. 2, 1821 (died Feb. 18, 1896); Elizabeth, Sept. 9, 1823 (died in infancy); Elias, Sept. 16, 1824 (died March 2, 1898); Catherine, 1826 (married John Stein); Mary, Sept. 2, 1828 (married Isaac Martz); Susannah, Jan. 14, 1831 (died young); Michael, Nov. 27, 1832; Joseph, Nov. 27, 1834.

Michael Emerick, son of (John) George, was born Nov. 27, 1832, on the farm in Lower Mahanoy township now owned by Frank Phillips. He owned and operated the farm which is now the property of his son-in-law, Jonathan Byerly, and in 1863 erected the large brick house now standing on that place, all the brick for which was made on the premises. A man of enterprise and intelligence, he was a useful and progressive citizen in every respect, encouraged public education and took an active part in matters of interest to the community generally. He enjoyed such confidence among his neighbors and friends that he was called upon to settle a number of estates. In politics he was a Republican, in religion a Lutheran, he and his family being Lutheran members of the Stone Valley Church, which he served as deacon and trustee. He died Dec. 21, 1899, and is buried at that church.

On Jan. 25, 1855, Mr. Emerick married Hannah Tressler, who was born Jan. 20, 1832, daughter of Jacob and Mary Ann (Billman) Tressler, and who, though nearly eighty, is a well preserved woman, her vitality being remarkable. The following children were born to this union: (1) Sarah Minerva, born Jan. 29, 1856, married J. F. Blasser, and they have had a large family, born as follows: Charles Albert, July 10, 1882; John Ezra, born July 10, 1882 (married Nov. 10, 1906, to Crissie P. Dreibelbis); Mabel Saloma, Dec. 3, 1883; Mary Magdalene, May 23, 1885 (married July 27, 1909, Roscoe E. Walborn); Walter Jacob, Nov. 20, 1886; Hannah Henrietta, March 29, 1888; Naomi Susannah, March 14, 1889; Alice Minerva and Julius Abraham, twins, June 16, 1893; Ray Michael, Feb. 4, 1895; and Moses Obadiah, Feb. 27, 1897. (2) Theodore T., born July 22, 1857, married Rosa A. Latsha. They have no children. (3) Mary Magdalene, born Oct. 2, 1858, died in infancy. (4) Louisa Catherine, born Aug. 31, 1859, married Jonathan Byerly, and they have had nine children: Beecher, born Dec. 8, 1881; Naomi Josephine, Jan. 5, 1883; Claude Alveretta, June 27, 1884; Hannah Elizabeth, Oct. 16, 1885; Elias Michael, Oct. 23, 1886; Saloma Ellen, Aug. 10, 1889; Isaac Theodore, Nov. 3, 1892; Maude H., Dec. 6, 1894; Mark Jonathan, Nov. 18, 1900. (5) George Jacob Michael, born in August, 1865, is a farmer in Jordan township, in his native district. He was reared to farm life, working for his parents until thirty-two years of age, when he undertook to farm the homestead on his own account, continuing thus two years. In 1899 he purchased his present well located farm of 150 acres, two and a half miles north of Uniontown, one mile south from Urban, on the road leading to Pillow. This was the homestead of George Brosius, and before him his father, Daniel Brosius, owned it. The barn on this place is a landmark, and the house was erected by George Brosius during the nineties. Mr. Emerick has a fertile tract, in a good state of cultivation, and has prospered in his agricultural work. Politically he is a Republican, and served as supervisor of the township from 1907 to 1910. He and his family worship at Zion's Union Church, Stone Valley, of which he was a deacon three years. He was married Dec. 17, 1897, to Adeline Witmer, daughter of Henry S. and Phoebe (Zartman) Witmer. They have had one son, Michael Henry. (6) Hannah Rufina, born July 19, 1869, died in infancy. (7) Martin Luther, mentioned below, was born Nov. 10, 1872. (8) Ellen Miranda, born June 15, 1874, married Isaac R. Phillips, and has one child, Hannah Harriette, born Aug. 24, 1909.

Martin Luther Emerick, M. D., of Hickory Corners, Northumberland county, is one of the notably successful physicians of his section of Pennsylvania. He was born on the farm in Jordan township where his boyhood days were passed, and received his early mental training in the local public schools. Later he attended the State nor-

KERSTETTER

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CHAPTER XXIII.

UPPER MAHANOY TOWNSHIP.

Proceedings for the Erection of Mahanoy Township—Disintegration of Its Territory—Organization of Upper Mahanoy—Pioneers—Hotels—Mills—Secret Society—Schools—Churches.

UPPER MAHANOY is bounded on the north by Cameron township, on the west by Washington and Jordan, and on the southeast by Schuylkill county. It is separated from Cameron by Line mountain, and drained by Greenbrier and Mahantango creeks and their branches. The surface is mountainous, and the prevailing character of the soil is a red shale.

At the organization of the county in 1772 Augusta township included this territory; but it was not long before the growth of population in the Mahanoy region demanded separate organization for that territory. The manner in which this was effected is thus set forth in the minutes of the county court of quarter sessions at February term, 1775:—

> A petition from a number of the inhabitants of the lower part of Augusta township in the said county was read in court, praying for a division of the said township for the remedying sundry inconveniences arising from its present extensiveness; whereupon it is considered that the same be divided by the following boundaries:—
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> Beginning within water mark on the west side of the Susquehanna; thence crossing the same by a direct line to the top of Mahanoy mountain and along the same to the county line; thence by the county line to the Spread Eagle in the forks of Mahantango; thence down the Mahantango to the mouth thereof, thence crossing Susquehanna to the mouth of Mahantango on the west side of Susquehanna, and up the western shore of the same to the place of beginning; all which described part is hereby erected into a separate township, to be henceforth called and known by the name of Mahanoy township.

The first township officers of Mahanoy were John Shaffer and Peter Almang, supervisors; Samuel Weiser and John Fisher, overseers of the poor, and Sebastian Brosius, constable. The township was nineteen miles in length from east to west; its shape was triangular, with the greatest dimension upon the southern line. The present area of five townships—Jackson, Washington, Upper Mahanoy, Jordan, and Lower Mahanoy—was embraced within its limits.

At August sessions, 1806, as recommended by James Silverwood, Casper Snyder, and John Hays, viewers appointed at April term, 1805, a division of Mahanoy was ordered by a line "beginning at a stone-heap on the top of

Mahanoy mountain on the right or eastwardly side of the main road leading from Sunbury to Harrisburg" and thence a general southerly direction to Mahantango creek. That part of the former territory of Mahanoy at the headwaters of the Mahantango and Greenbrier received the name of Upper Mahanoy, of which the first township officers were Daniel Herb and Nicholas Brosius, supervisors; Michael Diehl and Abraham Brosius, overseers of the poor, and John Latsha, constable. The township has been reduced to its present area by the erection of Jackson in 1836, Jordan in 1852, and Washington in 1856.

PIONEERS.

The following is a list of the taxables of Mahanoy township in 1778, when its territory included all that part of Northumberland county south of the Line mountain: Peter Albert, Jacob Albert, Peter Almang, Martin Bucher, Sebastian Brosius, Nicholas Brosius, Henry Baumgardner, George Bender, Anthony Borwell, Valentine Bridge, Edward Biddle, George Calhoon, George Dennis, Christian Deppen, William Forster, George Forster, Peter Forster, George Forster, Jr., Martin Fisher, Jonathan Fisher, Nicholas Groninger, Nicholas Garrison, John Herter, John Herter, Jr., Moses Haines, Henry Haines, John Heckert, John Hoope, Nicholas Hettrick, Christopher Hettrick, George Heim, George Heim, Jr., Martin Heil, Jacob Heberling, George Jagley, John Knell, Andrew Keterly, Peter Kester, John Kriger, Leonard Kerstetter, Martin Kerstetter, Abraham Kobel, Casper Kobel, Peter Kull, Henry Kobel, Daniel Kobel, Henry Krails, Charles Kauffman, Henry Kahler, James Kaimer, Michael Kunkle, Michael Lenhart, Christian Lower, Philip Lesher, Henry Latsha, Gottlieb Lefler, Henry Lowry, Mary Minium, Q. Minner, Isaac Meyer, Alexander McKee, Dietrich Markey, Mary Miller, Jacob Maier, Widow Maier, Mary Naian, Jacob Ochsenreiter, J. Pheffer, J. Phillips, Richard Peters, Nicholas Pope, George Reiter, Valentine Rebuck, Peter Reidy, George Reiter, John Sherer, Henry Schockingast, Peter Smith, Baltzer Steeley, Nicholas Sicsinger, Peter Smith, Nicholas Scider, Jacob Stough, Yost Schockingast, Fritz Sherer, John Striker, Dietrich Stonebraker, Ludwig Schreyer, Ludwig Schultz, John Shop, Abraham Schreyer, George Stump, Jacob Schneider, Rachel Sherer, Sebastian Spat, Christopher Stump, Christopher Stump, Jr., John Adam Sherer, Nicholas Shaver, Peter Trautman, William Trippe, Martin Thorn, William Thompson, Samuel Weiser, Peter Whitman, John White, Christopher Whitmore, Jonathan Wolf, Jacob Whitman, Frederick Weiser, Jonas Yocum, Jacob Zartman, Henry Zartman.

HOTELS.

The Line Mountain Hotel was built by Daniel Herb in 1808 and opened as a house of public entertainment in 1813. Among the landlords in the past have been Daniel Herb, Philip Maurer, Samuel Rothermel, and Isaiah Kiehl.

Linn, John Blair

1755-1855

By great exertions he reached the shore through the high water and floating timbers, and followed the troops. Incumbered, as he was, with his wet and frozen clothes, he made prisoner of an armed British scout, and took him into camp. (Lossing, in his Field Book of the Revolution, says he was taken prisoner. This is a mistake.) Colonel Kelly used to tell that during this tour, for three days at one time there was no service of provisions, and during the march before and after the battle, they were thirty-six hours under arms without sleep.

Muster roll of Captain Benjamin Weiser's company, at Philadelphia January 30, 1777.

Captain—Weiser, B.
First Lieutenant—Snider, Christopher.
Second Lieutenant—Shaffer, Adam.
Third Lieutenant—Van Gundy, Joseph.
First Sergeant—Hain, Matthew.
Second Sergeant—Markle, George.
First Corporal—Moyer, Philip.
Second Corporal—Eisenhauer, Frederick, enlisted in the service of the United States.

Privates—Brosius, George; Brosius, Nicholas; Faust, John; Furst, Christian, sick at present, (discharged at Reading, by Doctor Potts;) Furst, Conrad; Groninger, Henry; Hauser, John; Heim, John; Herter, John; Herrold, George; Hosterman, Peter; Kaufman, Henry; Kerstetter, Adam; Kerstetter, Martin; Kerstetter, Leonard; Kitch, Thomas; Leffler, Adam; Livengood, John; Meiser, John; Moyer, George; Neitz, Philip; Newman, Michael; Peifer, George; Pickel, Tobias; Reitz, Andrew; Shafer, Christian; Shafer, Nicholas; Snider, Jacob; Spengle, Zacharias; Stroub, John; Troutner, George, (enlisted in the United States service;) Weis, Peter; Witmer, Mathias.

28th January, the Assembly passed an act reviving all laws in force on the 14th of May, 1776, and such of the common and statute laws of England as had been in force previously, except the act of allegiance, or those that acknowledged the authority of the heirs and devisees of William Penn, or were repugnant to the lately formed constitution. The courts were directed to be held at the

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Lieutenant Askey got; so that Lieutenant McAllister, Ensign Piper, Captain Sems, and Captain Kern yet lacked their shares. Colonel Francis then said that a grant might be obtained for the tract of land in Buffalo Valley formerly intended to be located by Captain Plunket, and since surveyed for the Proprietaries, containing one thousand and five acres. Piper was, therefore, given lot No. 6, on Bald Eagle, surveyed for Ensign Morrow, who was excluded from the grant by the Penns, because he was of the party that rescued Stump and Iron-Cutter, the murderers of the Indians on Middle creek; Captain Kern, two hundred and eighty-seven acres, late the Chamberlain mill tract, in Kelly, now Hoffa's; Lieutenant McAllister, two hundred and ninety acres, late Howard farm, adjoining the above; and Colonel Francis, for Captain Sems, five hundred and twenty-seven and one half acres, adjoining. Colonel Francis sold the latter tract to William Linn, of Lurgan township, Franklin county, who divided it among his children. His grandson, W. T. Linn, still owns his father's share.

Loskiel mentions that in the spring of this year there was a great flood in the Susquehanna, which compelled the Indians at Wyoming to leave their houses, and take to the hills, where they remained four days.

The assessment of Penn's township contains this year the names of the following additional settlers: Frederick Albright, Thomas Allen, Tobias Bickle, Henry Bower, Robert Boyd, Tobias Bickle, junior, Michael Beidenbaugh, William Burchard, Abraham Billman, George Bowerman, Peter Druckenmiller, Widow Dowd, Michael Egulph, John Foutz, George Herrold, Joseph Jacobs, Michael Kerstetter, Bostian Kerstetter, Andrew Moor, Jacob Myer, Robert Moody, Edward McConnell, William Nees, John Regenbach, junior, Michael Stoke, Michael Swingle, Harman Snyder, Michael Weaver, George Miller, Andrew Ulsh. Freemen: Casper Snyder, Conrad Hayslick, and Michael Foutz.

George Gabriel, no doubt, died this year, as his name disappears from the assessment list. His obituary, or the only one I can find, at least, is not very complimentary. On the 13th November, 1772, at a meeting of "the officers," Mr. Lukens and Little had a claim, they said, for a location of three hundred acres, presented to them by Colonel John Armstrong, which was included in the officers' sur-

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ERLAND, *January* 24, 1776.

ion for field officers, held at
f the Susquehanna, on Tues-
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, of the county of Northum-
, colonel; Robert Moodie,
Kelly, first major; Mr. John

WILLIAM SCULL,
hairman of the Committee.

ins and other Officers of the
Division of the County of
f said Companies and number

nt,	85 privates.
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r	67 privates.

Cookson Long, fifth captain,	
William Mucklehatton, first lieutenant,	59 privates.
Robert Fleming, second lieutenant,	
Robert Fleming, junior, ensign.	
Samuel Wallis, sixth captain,	
John Scudder, first lieutenant,	91 privates.
Peter Jones, second lieutenant,	
James Hampton, ensign.	
James Murray, seventh captain,	
William Murray, first lieutenant,	60 privates.
Thomas Plunket, second lieutenant,	
Andrew Robinson, ensign.	
Henry Antes, eighth captain,	
Thomas Brandon, first lieutenant,	58 privates.
Alexander Hamilton, second lieutenant,	
Simon Cole, ensign.	
John McMillan, ninth captain,	
John McConnol, first lieutenant,	43 privates.
John McCormick, second lieutenant,	
Charles Wilson, ensign.	
David Hayes, tenth captain,	
Charles Clark, first lieutenant,	41 privates.
Thomas Gray, ensign.	
Philip Davis, eleventh captain,	
James Aspey, first lieutenant,	74 privates.
John Nelson, second lieutenant,	
Jacob Fulmore, ensign.	

NORTHUMBELRAND, *24th January*, 1776.

I do hereby certify the above to be a true return, of the several companies, which, form the battalion in the upper division of the county of Northumberland, as delivered in to me.

WILLIAM SCULL,
Chairman of the Committee.

To the COMMITTEE OF SAFETY OF THE PROVINCE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The following imperfect list of the inhabitants of Penn's township is taken from the duplicate of Christian Seecrist, collector for this year, duplicate being mutilated: Adams, George; Albright,

Jacob; Albright, Frederick; Arnold, Casper; Arnold, Lawrence; Augustine, Hieronimus; Ault, Michael; Balt, Adam; Bander, Adam; Baker, William; Berst, Peter; Bear, Jacob; Bickel, Tobias; Bomberger, John; Bower, Peter; Bower, Henry; Bright, John; Bressler, Nicholas; Brouse, John; Brau, Martin; Bombach, George; Crean, John; Hassinger, Jacob; Hosterman, Peter; Hosterman, Jacob, junior; Jacobs, Joseph; Jorday, Peter; Jordan, Philip; Jost, Casper; Kerstetter, Michael; Kerstetter, Bastian; Keller, Michael; Kebler, John; Kline, Andrew; Kline, Jacob; Kline, George; Kline, Stophel; Kroo, Godfrey; Kremer, Peter; Kremer, Daniel; Graybill, (Krebill,) John; Kreger, Henry; Krail, Michael; Laudenslager, George; Seiver, Adam, inmate; Lewis, John, inmate; Lepley, Michael; Leist, David; Lemley, Leonard; Livingood, Jacob; Lively, John; Livengood, F.; Livey, Peter; Lowrey, George; Long, Christian; Livengood, George; Maurer, Lawrence; Maurer, Peter; Manning Richard; Markley, Peter; Markley, Simeon; Martin, Frederick; Mensch, Charles; Menich, Simeon; Meiser, Michael; Meiser, John; Meiser, John; Meese, Thomas; Miser, Henry; Miller, Henry; Miller, Christian; Miller, Frederick; Miller, Dewalt; Miller, George; Moon, William; Moon, Casper, junior; Motz, George, inmate; Motz, John; Moore, Andrew; Moon, Casper, senior; Motz, Michael; Mull, Anthony; Murray, Alexander; Myer, Charles; Myer, Jacob, junior; Myer, Jacob, senior; Myer, Alexander; Myer, Stophel; McQueen, John; McKean, William; Newcomer, Francis; Nees, William; Newman, Jacob; Neff, Jacob; O'Brien, Patrick; Puff, Dewall; Pyle, Peter; Reger, Michael; Reed, John; Reager, Adam, junior; Reichenbach, John, senior; Reichenbach, John, junior; Reed, Casper; Ream, John; Riddle, Yost; Richart, Henry; Righter, Christian; Right, Ellis; Row, George; Row, George, junior; Row, John; Row, Martin; Roush, Casper; Roush, George; Robert, John; Rush, John; Ryne, Henry; Sense, Frederick; Seecrist, Christian; Schrock, John; Schrock, George; Shaffer, Peter; Shaffer, Andrew; Shaffer, Ludwig; Sharrett, Jacob; Sherrick, John; Shedderly, Andrew; Shallenberger, Lawrence; Shock, Mathias; Simeon, Joseph; Smith, John; Smith, Nicholas; Snyder, Harman; Snyder, Simon; Snyder, Anthony; Snider, John; Snevely, Abraham; Swift, John; Spayd, Jacob; Spees, Jacob; Stees, Jacob; Steel,

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John; Stephen, Adam; Stinley, Daniel;
Peter; Strayer, Mathias; Strump, Cas
Stock, Melchior; Summerouser, Henry;
Michael; Swartz, John; Swift, John;
Martin, junior; Trester, Michael; Tru
ner, George; Ulrich, George; Wales,
Walter, Ludwig; Walter, Jacob; Warfel,
Weiser, Peter, senior; Weiser, Benjamin,
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Convention of 177

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; Nees, William; Newman,
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Shock, Mathias; Simeon,
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Jacob; Stees, Jacob; Steel,

John; Stephen, Adam; Stinley, Daniel; Stigleman, Jacob; Straup, Peter; Strayer, Mathias; Strump, Casper; Stroam, Christian; Stock, Melchior; Summerouser, Henry; Sutton, Stephen; Swengle, Michael; Swartz, John; Swift, John; Swoab, George; Trester, Martin, junior; Trester, Michael; Truckenmiller, Peter; Troutner, George; Ulrich, George; Wales, John; Wallace, Samuel; Walter, Ludwig; Walter, Jacob; Warfel, Henry; Weaver, Michael; Weiser, Peter, senior; Weiser, Benjamin, Esquire; Weirich, Peter; Weirich, William; Whitmer, Peter; Whitmore, Michael; Wittenmyer, Andrew; Wittenmyer, Ludwig; Wing, Hugh; Wise, George; Worrah, or Woodrow, Ludwig; Zellar, John; Zerbach, Bartel; Zimmerman, Stophel; Zanzinger, Adam. Single men—Bickle, Simon; Dellman, Andrew; Dill, Leonard; Dunkle, Charles; Garret, Henry; Havelock, Jacob; Isenhower, Frederick; Kremer, Daniel; Kerstetter, Martin; List, Andrew; Maxwell, James; Meshall, Daniel; Miller, Conrad; Myst, John; Rickert, John; Stroup, John; Snider, Stophel; Stock, Peter; Weaver, John; Zeller, Henry.

The churches in what was called in general Shamokin, on both sides of the Susquehanna, about the junction of the North and West Branches, namely, Mahony, Sunbury, Middle Creek and Buffalo Valley, were in existence as early as 1776. In the minutes of *Cœtus*, held in Lancaster, May 1, is a minute "that different congregations in Shamokin having asked for such an arrangement as to have ministers visit them, it was resolved that ministers should visit them occasionally during this year, and preach to them," &c. Harbaugh's Fathers of the German Reformed Church, 3d vol., 34th page. The German Reformed Church was under the supervision of the church in Holland until about the year 1791, and only such ministers were received by the church as were either sent over by the Fathers in Holland, or had their indorsement. *Ibid.*, 2d vol.

Convention of 1776.

In consequence of a circular letter from the Committee of the City and Liberties of Philadelphia, inclosing the resolution of the Continental Congress of the 15th of May, recommending the adoption of the State Government in each of the Colonies, a provincial con-

eunto set our names this 31st day of

Northumberland, eight from Sunbury,
On it is the following deputation :
nominate, appoint, and intrust the
he annexed call for the Reverend Mr.
ented to the moderator of the Carlisle
entioned. Signed : William Gray and
William Cooke and James Hepburn, for
m Clark, for Buffalo."
h Morrison became pastor of the Buf-
[illegible]ch. The congregation engaged
From a list of contributing members
I gather the following names : An-
Baldy, Christopher ; Barrett, James ;
s ; [1]Brady, John ; [1]Buchanan, James ;
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, Samuel ; Cox, Tunis ; Davis, David ;
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es ; [1]Fruit, Robert ; Graham, Edward ;
William ; Green, Joseph ; Grogan,
; [1]Holmes, Jonathan ; Hudson, Jo-
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m, Esquire ; Johnston, Christopher ;
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William and Andrew ; McDougal,
; Maclay, Samuel ; Magee, James ;
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Nichols, William ; Poak, Charles ;
; Poak, Widow ; Porter, Samuel ;
nor, John ; Roan, Flavel ; Rodman,
Scroggs, Allen ; Sherer, Richard
dgrass, David ; Steele, Alexander ;
ompson, John ; Vanvolsan, Levi ;
am ; and Wilson, William.
a[illegible], an election for elders resulted in the choice of Walter Clark, John Linn, William Irwin, David Watson, John Reznor, and Joseph Allen. The subscriptions by the more wealthy attendants upon service were Andrew Forster, £2 ; Samuel Maclay, John Lowdon, and William Irwin, each, £1 10*s.* ; William Irvine £1 6*s.* ; James Forster £1 2*s.*

Those marked ([1]) were signers of Mr. Morrison's call, and as such, in 1803, were sued for back stipends. The principal and interest and costs, when they made the last payment, in December, 1810, was $1,179 30.

September 17, the Constitution of United States was adopted, and on December 12, the State Convention ratified it. The delegates to the latter from Northumberland county were Colonel William Wilson and his partner, John Boyd. They then kept store in the town of Northumberland. In 1791, Colonel Wilson built the Chillisquaque mills, at the mouth of that creek, and moved to that place.

At November sessions, the road commencing at the head of Penn's valley ; thence through Aaronsburg to the road at Richard Lowdon's barn ; thence down the same to John Davidson's ferry, was laid out.

Deaths.

Alexander Beatty, of New Berlin. Children : Jane, Agnes, Hugh, John, Hannah, Sarah, James, and Alexander. The deceased carried on the first tannery in the Valley, on site of present town of New Berlin.

Matthew Young, of Buffalo. Children : Margaret, (see her capture, related 1781,) still living, in 1787, John, Sarah, and Agnes. One of his daughters married Robert Dixon. Sarah was residing in Westmoreland county, in March, 1796, when she gave Colonel Kelly and Captain Thompson a letter of attorney to draw her share under her father's will.

John Snyder, original owner of Selinsgrove, brother of Simon, subsequently Governor.

John McClung, of Buffalo. Children : John, James, Matthew, Charles, Rebecca, Esther, and Elizabeth.

Sebastian Kerstetter, of Beaver. Children : Martin, Lenhart, Peter, Sebastian, Catharine, and Margaret.

James Thom, of Buffalo.

ınd moved, in 1793, to the premises of
township. He was a carpenter by trade,
Buffalo Valley, among others, the old
Lewisburg; of barns, he built the one
vned by Joseph Green. In 1799 he was
ey Republican troop, and always rode on
that had been wounded at St. Clair's de-
er, father of Colonel Webb, who, some
iladelphia, was first lieutenant of the com-
fflinburg, and moved to Ohio many years
of Colonel George Weirick's regiment, at
H[illegible]moved to Lycoming county once:
; then to White Deer valley; thence to
ton, where he died, 1837–38. His wife
rave. He had four sons, Tunison, John,
of whom Tunison, the eldest, and Abra-
survive. There were several daughters,
days in Ohio and Indiana. Tunison re-
occupies the house in which he was mar-
is golden wedding was celebrated.

ffalo, aged, in 1820, seventy-two. En-
n Nagle's company, Colonel Thompson's
ear: re-enlisted in November, 1776, in
Colonel Humpton's regiment, and served
e, 11th January, 1777, Brandywine, and
ction he was wounded, had several ribs
discharged. He was a carpenter, and had
hree balls in his body, which he carried
were Ellis Derr, Mifflinburg: Samuel,
burg, Bedford county; Susan, married to
vid Kline, of Hartley; Polly, to ——
izabeth, to William Kepner, moved to
ship, Berks; Catherine, to Henry Bar-
died in Spring township, Centre county,
n and about Bellefonte: Daniel, Rachel,
: William, in Benezet: Christian and

y[illegible]sted at Sunbury, in Captain Weit-

zel's company, Colonel Miles' regiment, in April, 1776, served one year, nine months, then re-enlisted at Sunbury, in Captain James Wilson's First Pennsylvania, Colonel James Chambers, in which he served until the close of the war. A wheelwright by trade.

Kerstetter, George, blacksmith, Washington township, aged sixty-four. Served four years in Captain Burkhart's company, Colonel Hunsecker's regiment. Children: Jacob and Dorothy. Wife's name was Elizabeth.

Linn, John, aged sixty-five, enlisted in the winter of 1778, at Lancaster, in third troop, Captain Erasmus Gill, fourth regiment Pennsylvania cavalry, Colonel Stephen Moylan. Discharged in October, 1783. Had five children; Robert Bruce, born May 21, 1806: Altha, January 15, 1808; James Smith, October 20, 1811; Eliza, June 4, 1814; Mary Jane, November 23, 1816. Weaver by trade.

Lennox, George, private, Captain Bankson's company, Colonel Stewart's regiment.

Reger, Elias, enlisted in May, 1775, Captain George Nagle's company, Colonel Thompson, first rifle regiment. In the siege of Boston. Discharged at Long Island, in June, 1776. Cooper by trade. Seventy-seven years old.

Rorabaugh, Philip, Buffalo township, served three months in Pennsylvania line, Captain Slaymaker's company, Colonel Bull's regiment, while the army lay at Valley Forge. Served also in the campaign of 1794, known as the whisky insurrection, and three months in Captain John Bergstresser's company, at Marcus Hook, in 1814. This hero of three wars died February 3, 1837, aged eighty-six, and is buried in Lewisburg German grave-yard.

Swesey, Daniel, died in White Deer, 31st January, 1836, leaving a widow, Mary.

Strickland, Timothy, carpenter, Lewisburg, enlisted in 1776, in Berkshire county, Massachusetts, Captain Bacon's company, Colonel Porter's regiment, and served therein one year. Re-enlisted in September, 1777, in Captain Mill's company, New York State line, and was honorably discharged after three years' service. Aged in May, 1824, seventy-three, but very much crippled. He had four sons, (Samuel was a soldier of 1814.) His grandchildren reside still in Lewisburg; Cyrus, a grandson, in Bellefonte.

Smith, Adam, was a teamster during the Revolution. He settled with dragoons, Colonel [illegible] regiment, in April, 1776, served one [illegible] seven months, from [illegible] at [illegible], in Captain James [illegible] [illegible], Colonel James [illegible], in which he served until the close of the war. [illegible] by [illegible].

[illegible], [illegible], [illegible], [illegible] [illegible] with [illegible]. Served three years in Captain [illegible] company, Colonel [illegible] regiment. [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible]. [illegible]

[illegible], John, and [illegible] [illegible] in the [illegible] in 1775, at [illegible] in [illegible], Captain [illegible] company, Colonel [illegible]. [illegible] from [illegible] to [illegible], 1777. [illegible] May 24, 1776; [illegible], January 24, 1778; James [illegible], [illegible] 22, 1777; [illegible], June 2, 1779; Mary [illegible], December 29, 1808. [illegible]

[illegible], George, private, Captain [illegible] company, Colonel [illegible] regiment.

Brown, [illegible] enlisted in May, 1776, Captain George [illegible] company, Colonel Thompson's [illegible] regiment. In the [illegible] of [illegible] at [illegible] in [illegible], 1776. [illegible] years old.

Burlingame, Thomas, [illegible] three months in 1776, Captain [illegible] company, Colonel [illegible] regiment, [illegible] the army at [illegible] Forge. Served also in the [illegible] of 1777, [illegible] at the [illegible], and three months in Captain John [illegible] company, at [illegible], in 1777. [illegible] February 2, 1777, [illegible] and [illegible] pension granted.

[illegible], [illegible] died in [illegible], January, 1831, leaving a widow, Mary.

[illegible], Timothy, [illegible], enlisted in 1776, in [illegible], Captain [illegible] company, Colonel [illegible] regiment, and served [illegible] the war. [illegible] September, 1777, in Captain [illegible] company, New York [illegible] line. [illegible] discharged after [illegible] years' service. Aged [illegible] but a [illegible] of [illegible]. His [illegible] in [illegible].

[illegible] was a [illegible] during the Revolution. He [illegible] weaver, cabin; Watts, John, carpenter, cabin; Welsh, Nicholas, stable and cabin; Welsh, Ludwig; Wheeland, Michael, carpenter, cabin; Whittemore, Peter, cabin, stable, and blacksmith shop; Wilson, William, stone house, bank barn, and apple-mill, tailor; Woods, John, cabin and still-house, reed-maker; Woodside, David, large cabin, stable, and blacksmith shop.

Single Men—Adams, James; Adams, John; Chamberlin, Enoch, miller; Clark, Charles; Clark, George; Foster, Hugh, weaver; Fisher, William, miller; Huffman, George; Hawthorne, Archibald; Iddings, Samuel; Irwin, John, distiller; Irwin, Samuel, weaver; Johnston, William; Lukey, William, joiner; Lukey, James; McCluskey, Patrick, distiller; Nicholas, John; Painter, Henry; Pollock, James; Pollock, Thomas; Ray, William; Russell, Alexander, distiller; Wheeland, Samuel.

Penn's—Brause, Adam; Deal, John; Deitz, Jacob; Filman, John; Gaughler, Nicholas; Gehr, Jacob; Hughes, Garret; Jarret, Jacob; Kern, Widow; Kratzer, Daniel; Leckington, Abraham; Musselman, Jacob; Price, Thomas; Schuyler, Nicholas; Weirick, John.

List of Residents, &c., of Mahantango Township made in 1796—*Territory, Chapman, Perry, West Perry, now in Snyder County.*

Albright, Frederick, senior and junior; Albright, John; Ault, George; Anderson, William; Arnold, Casper, saw-mill; Barnhart, Henry; Bay, John; Bickart, John; Birchfield, Charles; Blasser, John; Bower, Daniel; Bower, Peter; Bowman, Jacob; Bright, Michael; Brumbach, George; Burget or Burkhart, Philip, Esquire; Eckhart, Jacob; Forrey, Christian; Garman, Henry, saw-mill; Garman, John and Peter; Gaughler, George; Geltnitz, Casper; Getherd, Henry, cooper; Goy, Frederick; Graybill, Jacob; Graybill, Christian; Graybill, John; Gunckel, Jacob; Haflig, Jacob; Hagerman, John; Hamilton, James; Hawn, Michael, saw-mill; Hawn, Michael, junior; Heem, Paul; Heffer, Jacob; Heimback, Peter; Heintz, Doctor Christian; Heisler, Henry; Herrold, Simon, grist and saw-mill; Herrold, George; Hershey, John; Hershey, John, junior; Hetzel, Mathias; Hoff, James, tailor; Hosterman, Peter; Imhoff, Charles, two stills; Johnston, John, saw-mill; Jordon,

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Livengood, Jacob, saw-mill;
Meiser, George; Meiser, Ada
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ling, Baltzer; Nieman, Wiant,
Patterson, Robert; Pfeill, Hen
Reed, Casper; Reichenbach, J
George; Richter, Christian;
stills; Roush, Jacob; Roush,
Seecrist, Christian, saw-mill an
Michael, saw-mill; Shaffer,
Shetterly, John, saw-mill; Shet
Shetterly, Andrew; Shower, A
Smith, David, oil-mill; Snyde
Snyder, Thomas; Snyder,
shoe-maker; Snyder, John, tan
erick; Stahl, John; Stees, Fre
keeper; Stephenson, Earnest,
Straub, Charles; Straub, Charl
Nicholas, horse jockey; Swart
Thornton, John; Thorsby, Wil
Whitmer, Widow; Whitmore,
Wiant, Jacob; Wiant, John,
saw-mill; Woodrow, Simon;
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Single Freemen—Goy, Fred
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Sunday evening, June 12, Si
to Catherine, daughter of Co
berland.

Henry Peters, East Buffalo.
Barbara.

[illegible], [illegible]; White, [illegible], carpenter; White, [illegible]; [illegible], Michael, carpenter; [illegible]; Whitmore, [illegible]; [illegible]; Wilson, [illegible]; [illegible]; Woods, John [illegible] of [illegible] shop.

[illegible] — Adams, John; [illegible]; Clark, Charles; Clark, George; [illegible]; William, [illegible]; Hughes, George; [illegible]; Johnson, William; [illegible], William; [illegible]; [illegible], Samuel; [illegible].

[illegible] — [illegible], Adam; [illegible], John; [illegible]; [illegible], Thomas; [illegible].

[illegible] of Washington. [illegible]

[illegible], Frederick, [illegible] and painter; Albaugh, John; [illegible]; William; [illegible], Henry; [illegible], John; [illegible], Charles; [illegible], Peter; [illegible], Jacob; [illegible], George; [illegible]; Henry; [illegible], Frederick; [illegible], John; [illegible], James; [illegible], Michael; [illegible], Peter; [illegible], George; [illegible], John; [illegible].

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distiller; Irwin, Samuel, weaver;
li[illegible] joiner; Lukey, James; Mc-
o[illegible]ohn; Painter, Henry; Pol-
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Frederick; Graybill, Jacob; Gray-
Gunckel, Jacob; Haflig, Jacob;
ames; Hawn, Michael, saw-mill;
Paul; Heffer, Jacob; Heimback,
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Single Freemen—Goy, Frederick; Haak, Jacob; Meiser, George, joiner; Nitz, Jacob; Shaffer, Andrew; Stephy, Frederick, carpenter; Whitmore, Samuel; Wiant, Michael; Zimmerman, Jacob.

Married.

Sunday evening, June 12, Simon Snyder, Esquire, of Selinsgrove, to Catherine, daughter of Colonel Frederick Antes, of Northumberland.

Deaths.

Henry Peters, East Buffalo. Children: Anna, Maria, Mary, and Barbara.

1795.

Henry Spyker's House—Politics—Jay's Treaty—George Kester and Anna M. Smith's Bequests for Schools—Death of William Irvine, and Notice of his Family.

MEMBERS of Congress, Samuel Maclay, and Andrew Gregg. Senator, Samuel Dale, elected *vice* William Hepburn, who resigned on the 20th of April. Members of the House, Flavel Roan, Hugh White, and Robert Martin. County Commissioners, Richard Sherer, C. Dering, and Henry Vanderslice. John Brady, Sheriff.

In East Buffalo, the additional Taxables are—Joseph Phares, John Hubler, Jacob Lutz, Job Thomas, Doctor Rosewell Doty.

John Pollock opened a store in Mr. Lewis' house, in Lewisburg.

On 5th August, Henry Spyker commenced building the first brick house ever erected in Lewisburg, (still standing,) on the corner of Front and St. Catherine streets, and owned by James S. Marsh. John Meffert, of Tulpehocken, was the contractor. Most of the brick were brought from some point down the river, and a few made on Thomas Wilson's place, now a part of George Wolfe's, near the fair ground. Abraham Troxell did the hauling.

In White Deer: Archibald Hawthorne appears as a taxable.

In West Buffalo: John Wintelbleck, John Wilt, Joseph Wilt, Adam Armor, and John Collins.

In Penn's: George Benfer, Michael Beaver, Peter Hackenberg, Samuel McClintock, Philip Yocum, (Big) John Kerstetter.

Saturday and Sunday, 24th an
snow had for many winters—two
to the 19th, the weather was exce
summer.

Thursday, 19th February, was
and prayer, upon a proclamation
George, take care you do not fall,
in his diary.

To April Session, 1795, Hugh
Haughawaut, William P. Maclay
junior, reported that they had laid
church to the Presbyterian churcl

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Jay's treaty with Great Britain
ber, 1794. General Washingto
March, of the present year. An e
on the 6th of June, and it advise
one article in relation to the Wes
was waiting, a little, the progre
Senators, S. T. Mason, in viola
sent a copy of it to the *Aurora*,
Republican, as was the party nam
was spread before the people w
documents or letters, necessary
people. The treaty was the best
and public policy recommended
warm feeling of our people towar
to the politicians to raise a treme
all over the country, and the tre
burned in effigy, the British mini
at a public meeting. We can gi
dered, except by large quotations
of the day. The clergy, at least
part, and some of their vitupera
matter was, General Washington

Patrick; Watson, David; Welker, Leonard, grist and saw-mill; Weyland, Henry; Williams, William; Williams, James; Wilson, Robert; Wise, Jacob; Wise, Frederick; Wolfe, Andrew; Wolfe, George; Young, Samuel, distillery; Young, Matthew; Zeller, Peter.

Of these the following returned money for taxation only: Bickle, Christopher, £100; Chambers, Robert, £60; Frederick, George, £500; Green, Joseph, £140; McCandlish, William, £40; Storms, Christian, £450.

Additional Residents or Taxables of White Deer in 1780.

Allen, Joseph; Allen, John; Auman, Philip; Barber, John; Caldwell, John; Campbell, Charles; Cherry, John; Clendenin, John; Collins, Daniel; Couples, Sarah, widow; Crawford, Robert; Daraugh, Ephraim; Derr, Widow; Eakins, John; Heckle, Andrew, distillery; Gibson, James; Glen, Joseph; Gray, Robert; Hammel, Charles; Hayes, David; Hill, Elizabeth; Hill, Jacob; Hoffman, Joseph; Huling, Marcus, of the Island; Hood, Moses; Huston, Samuel; Iddings, Jonathan; Kelly, Lawrence; King, William; Love, Robert; McClenachan, William; McCracken, John; McCord, Robert; McCord, James; McGowan, John; McKinney, James; McLaughlin, John; Marshall, William; Miller, Archibald; Millwright, Mathias; Montgomery, Samuel; Murray, William; Poak, John; Randels, Joseph; Randels, Hugh; Row, James; Shields, Widow; Shearer, Widow; Turner, Thomas, distillery; Swartz, Peter, junior; Tanahill, John; Vandyke, Lambert. Improvements, saw-mill at William Blythe's, Red Bank run.

Among the Residents of Penn's Township in 1780.

Barnard, France; Bart, Jacob; Bartges, Stophel; Beard, William; Berts, Benjamin; Bickard, John; Bickle, Thomas; Bickle, Simon, distillery; Bickle, Tobias, distillery; Bickle, Jacob; Borald, Adam; Bolender, Adam, senior; Bolender, Adam, junior; Bombaugh, widow, still; Borer, Peter; Bower, Peter; Bunker, Abraham; Carstetter, Martin; Cline, Jacob; Cline, Andrew; Coleman, John; Collins, Moses; Copenberger, Paul; Crow, Godfrey; Deaner, George; Deininger, Jacob; Dowdle, widow, (widow of Captain Dowdle;) Dreese, Joseph; Eberhart, Bernard; Egeh, William;

Evans, John; Faucy, Benjamin; F
wig; Gan, Frederick; Gaws, Chris
bill, Christian; Green, John; Gra
Hains, John; Harman, John; Hef
Hermon, Henry; Hoan, Michael,
Hooks, Stephen; Horn, Samuel;
iel; Kerstetter, Leonard; Kerstett
tleman, David; Kreek, Philip; Kr
bel, Jacob; Leist, David; Liber,
ning, John; Manning, Richard; M
Mattig, Daniel; Merkley, George;
Meyer, Charles, distillery; Moge
Moon, James; Moore, Andrew, fou
of land, oil-mill, two distilleries, one
Jacob; Mull, Anthony; Neyman,
Philip; Nitz, John; Ogden, Joseph;
Reybert, John, senior; Reger, Elias;
Jacob; Reed, Casper, saw-mill;
Reit, John; Ritchie, Robert; Rod
Martin, junior; Row, Ludwig;
Schock, John; Shaffer, George; Sl
ter; Smith, Stephen; Snyder, Tho
mill; Steffy, Adam; Straub, John
Sutton, Zachariah; Swineford, Joh
dred and eighty acres, and grist-m
Matthias; Truckenmiller, Frederick
ward, Simon; Zellner, John.

2d April, William Maclay writes t
"Sir: I will not trouble you wi
will, no doubt, be painted to the
deed, the picture cannot be overch
write to you, but for a strong beli
Indians are lodged about the hea
They were with us to the very begi
they are with us now before that sn
hunters, who went up late last fall
one for hunting,) were so alarmed
which they could not believe to b

·onard, grist and saw-mill ;
Williams, James ; Wilson,
k ; Wolfe, Andrew ; Wolfe,
Young, Matthew ; Zeller,

for taxation only : Bickle,
t, £60 ; Frederick, George,
lish, William, £40 ; Storms,

f White Deer in 1780.

Philip ; Barber, John ;
Cherry, John ; Clendenin,
. widow ; Crawford, Robert ;
ins, John ; Heckle, Andrew,
h ; Gray, Robert ; Hammel,
th ; Hill, Jacob ; Hoffman,
d ; Hood, Moses ; Huston,
Lawrence ; King, William ;
1 ; McCracken, John ; Mc-
Gowan, John ; McKinney,
William ; Miller, Archibald ;
amuel ; Murray, William ;
lels, Hugh ; Row, James ;
Turner, Thomas, distillery ;
; Vandyke, Lambert. Im-
e's, Red Bank run.

Township in 1780.

rtges, Stophel ; Beard, Wil-
n ; Bickle, Thomas ; Bickle,
lery ; Bickle, Jacob ; Borald,
ender, Adam, junior ; Bom-
ower, Peter ; Bunker, Abra-
; Cline, Andrew ; Coleman,
aul ; Crow, Godfrey ; Dean-
lle, widow, (widow of Cap-
nard ; Egeh, William ;

Evans, John ; Faucy, Benjamin ; Fisher, Abraham ; Freyburg, Ludwig ; Gan, Frederick ; Gaws, Christian ; Ginney, (weaver ;) Graybill, Christian ; Green, John ; Graybill, John ; Guyer, Valentine ; Hains, John ; Harman, John ; Heffling, Jacob ; Heffling, Conrad ; Hermon, Henry ; Hoan, Michael, senior ; Hornberger, Charles ; Hooks, Stephen ; Horn, Samuel ; Kemerer, Peter ; Kemerer, Daniel ; Kerstetter, Leonard ; Kerstetter, widow ; Kerel, Hugh ; Kettleman, David ; Kreek, Philip ; Kreek, Jacob ; Koch, Daniel ; Label, Jacob ; Leist, David ; Liber, Adam ; McTaget, Billy ; Manning, John ; Manning, Richard ; Mateer, Robert ; Meikle, Simeon ; Mattig, Daniel ; Merkley, George ; Motz, Michael ; Meyer, John ; Meyer, Charles, distillery ; Mogel, Valentine ; Moon, Thomas ; Moon, James ; Moore, Andrew, four hundred and seventy-nine acres of land, oil-mill, two distilleries, one grist and one saw-mill ; Morton, Jacob ; Mull, Anthony ; Neyman, Jacob ; Newcomer, Peter ; Nitz, Philip ; Nitz, John ; Ogden, Joseph ; Oudly, Edward ; Peters, Michael ; Reybert, John, senior ; Reger, Elias ; Reger, Michael ; Reichenbaugh, Jacob ; Reed, Casper, saw-mill ; Reihm, Henry ; Retzel, Youst ; Reit, John ; Ritchie, Robert ; Rodgers, John ; Roush, Jacob ; Row, Martin, junior ; Row, Ludwig ; Ryhart, John ; Schock, George ; Schock, John ; Shaffer, George ; Sharrer, Michael ; Shoemaker, Peter ; Smith, Stephen ; Snyder, Thomas ; Stees, Jacob, grist and saw-mill ; Steffy, Adam ; Straub, John ; Styer, Henry ; Styers, Jacob ; Sutton, Zachariah ; Swineford, John ; Swineford, Albright, six hundred and eighty acres, and grist-mill ; Tremgel, Peter ; Trenkle, Matthias ; Truckenmiller, Frederick ; Ulrich, George, junior ; Woodward, Simon ; Zellner, John.

2d April, William Maclay writes to President Reed, from Sunbury :

"Sir : I will not trouble you with the distress of this county. It will, no doubt, be painted to the Council in lively colors, and, indeed, the picture cannot be overcharged ; nor should I, at this time, write to you, but for a strong belief and persuasion that a body of Indians are lodged about the head of Fishing and Muncy creek. They were with us to the very beginning of the deep snow last year ; they are with us now before that snow is quite gone. Many of our hunters, who went up late last fall into that country, (which is a fine one for hunting,) were so alarmed with the constant reports of guns, which they could not believe to be those of white men, that they

Emlen, John; [illegible], Benjamin; [illegible], Abraham; [illegible] [illegible]; [illegible], Graydon, John; [illegible], [illegible], John; [illegible], James; [illegible], [illegible], Henry; [illegible], [illegible], Samuel; [illegible], [illegible], [illegible]; [illegible] [illegible], [illegible], John; [illegible], Richard; [illegible], Robert; [illegible], [illegible], George; [illegible], Michael; [illegible], [illegible], Charles; [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], Thomas; [illegible], [illegible], Anthony [illegible] [illegible], Anthony; [illegible], John; [illegible] [illegible], Joseph; [illegible], Henry; [illegible], John; [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], John; [illegible], Jacob; [illegible], John; [illegible], [illegible], George; [illegible], Michael; [illegible], Thomas; [illegible], Adam; [illegible], John; [illegible], Henry; [illegible], [illegible], John; [illegible], Thomas; [illegible], [illegible], [illegible], George; [illegible], [illegible], [illegible].

[illegible] April. [illegible] [illegible]

"[illegible] I will not trouble you with the clamours of this country. It will, no doubt, be [illegible] in the [illegible], and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. They were sent to [illegible] the very beginning of the [illegible]. [illegible] they would [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Lieut. Col. James Murray, of the second battalion, to be by him sent to some proper place of confinement, until released by further authority. Signed by order of the committee.

Paul Geddis, *Chairman*.

December 18th, 1776.

The above Robert Robb desires to appeal to the Council of Safety of this State :

Resolved, That said Robb may appeal to said council, under the care of the said Col. Murray.

Paul Geddis, *Chairman*.

Muster Roll of Captain Casper Weitzel's Company, in the first Battalion of Pennsylvania Regiment of Rifiemen commanded by Colonel Samuel Miles. Camp near Kingsbridge, September 1, 1776.

Captain—Casper Weitzel, Esquire, of Sunbury appointed March 9, 1776.

First Lieutenant—William Gray, appointed March 15 ; captured August 27 ; exchanged December 8, 1776, for Lieutenant Thompson.

Second Lieutenant—John Robb, appointed March 16, 1776, promoted captain 18th April, 1777.

Third Lieutenant—George Grant, appointed March 19, 1776, captain in the 9th P. C. L. Died 10th October, 1779.

Sergeant Major—John Gordon.

Sergeants—Jacob Snider, Thomas Price, William Orr, Thomas Shanks.

Drummer—John Everard. September 1, sick at New York.

Privates—[1]Allison, William ; Arthur, John ; Aumiller, John ; Barr, William ; [1]Brady, Peter ; Brinson, Stout ; Burke, John ; Carson, Samuel ; Carson, William, junior ; Carson, William, senior ; [1]Carter, Andrew ; Carter, Charles ; [1]Caruthers, Robert ; Chisnell, James ; Clark, William ; Clayton, James ; Connell, Jeffry ; Cribs, John ; Curry, David ; Davis, Peter ; Doran, Edward ; Durell, David ; Durell, Stephen ; Elder, James ; Ewig, Christian ; [1]Gass, Henry ; Gerhart, Henry ; Glover, James ; Hardy, John ; Harper, William ; Hissom, Thomas ; [1]Huggins, Dennis ; Hunt, Elijah ; Irvine, James ; [1]Kerstetter, Martin ; Little, Thomas ; McCleane, Charles ; [1]McCormick, William ; McDonald, John ; M
Patrick ; McMath, William ; [1]McVey,
Miller, Henry ; [1]Morehead, Robert :
Michael ; Ralston, Andrew ; Randolph,
John ; Shaffer, John ; [1]Spiess, Jacob ;
David ; [1]Watt, James ; Wilson, Robert ;
Silas.

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[1] Missing after the battle of Long Island, August 27.

Lieutenant William Gray, afterwards
bury, July 18, 1804, aged fifty-four.

Sergeant Price ended his days in a
street, in Selinsgrove. It seems he was
Scotia. Made his escape traveling thro
ing between that country and the ne
See History of West Branch, page 109.
Samuel Maclay, member of Congress a
township, December 4, 1798, written i
plains that he had been three times ele
Drum twice and Frederick Evans once
missioned, because, as he says, it was a
for such a post. He says, "I settled i
and have resided here ever since, ex
army. I enlisted in Captain Weitzel's
and taken prisoner at the battle of Lon
hardships, but at last found means to
and served my time out ; was honora
ceived my pay. Soon after my return
and continued in that post many ye
major."

Associators

On the 31st of August the field offic
and Penn's townships were chosen, an
sions were issued to them as fourth
county associators and to the compan

Colonel—Cole, Philip.
Lieutenant Colonel—Sut
First Major—Foster, Th

killed at
, Decem-

Hultsizer, Jesse, died at Washington, D. C., November 10, 1862.
Katherman, Joseph,
Katherman, Isaiah,
Kline, Charles,
Kline, George,
Kline, Henry Charles,
Laird, Samuel H.,
Lashells, George W., killed at Fredericksburg, Virginia, December 13, 1862.
Lenhart, David,
Leib, Emanuel,
Ludwig, George,
McPherson, Archibald,
Markle, John,
Maxwell, Archibald,
Meyers, Daniel B.,
Miller, Harry,
Moyer, George W.,
Newman, Lewis,
Rarer, John,
Reed, G. Thompson,
Reed, John,
Richards, Christian,
Rorabaugh, James A.,
Rossman, William,
Rote, Joseph,
Sanders, George L.,
Schnee, Peter,
Schuck, Thomas L.,
Shaffer, Milton,
Showalter, Samuel,
Smith, Sylvester,
Snyder, William A.,
Snyder, William W.,
Snyder, Emanuel, killed at Fredericksburg, Virginia, December 13, 1862,
Solomon, Henry C.,
Sommers, Jeremiah,
Sommers, Oliver,
Stees, Henry George, killed at Fredericksburg, Virginia, Dec. 13, 1862.
Swartz, John,
Taylor, William A.,
Wertz, William,
Wilson, Frank,
Winegarden, J. A.,
Wise, Charles,
Zechman, M. Calvin.

ISCELLANEOUS.

tillery—
nt.

Second Lieutenant Henry E. Gutelius.

Orwig.

Company F, Fifty-sixth Pennsylvania.

l nd

Second Lieutenant George W. Guildin.

Irwin.

COMPANY E, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND REGIMENT.

Captains.

John A. Owens,
Charles R. Evans.

First Lieutenants.

Andrew G. Tucker, died July 5, of wounds received at Gettysburg, July 1, 1863.
Isaac S. Kerstetter.

Sergeants.

Scott Clingan,
Alfred Hayes,
Samuel Brown,
John V. Miller,
Reuben B. Fessler,
Thomas P. Wagner,
Thomas R. Orwig, died at Washington, D. C., November 30, 1862.

Corporals.

Isaac J. Kerstetter,
Isaac F. Brown,
John Gellinger,
Benjamin W. Minium,
Henry C. Penny,
John H. Martin,
William Keifer,
Nathaniel Strahan,
Henry M. Specht,
Jacob H. Rank, died, June 1, of wounds received at Spottsylvania Court House, Virginia, May 12, 1864.
Samuel Moyer, killed at Fredericksburg, Virginia, December 13, 1862.

Musicians.

William Geibel,
Hunter B. Barton.

Privates.

Ammon, William L.,
Armagast, Peter, killed at Fredericksburg, Virginia, December 13, 1862,
Baker, George,
Boope, George E.,
Boyer, Solomon,
Campbell, Reuben,
Deibert, John P., killed at Catlett's Station, Virginia, November 30, 1863,
Dellinger, John S., killed at Fredericksburg, Virginia, December 13, 1862,
Donachy, William L.,
Fangboner, Theodore,
Farley, John,
Fees, David,
Fetter, David, died of wounds received at Fredericksburg, Virginia, December 13, 1862,
Fetter, Adam,
Fullmer, William H.,
Gellinger, Jackson,
Gilboney, Jacob B.,
Gundy, James P.,
Hartman, Har'n R.,
Hoffman, Noah,
Hoffman, John,
Hoffman, Henry W.,
Hoffman, Solomon B.,
Houghton, Thomas,
Jamison, David, died of wounds received at Fredericksburg, Virginia, December 13, 1862,
Kline, John, died of wounds received at Wilderness, Virginia, May 6, 1864,
Kling, John, died at Acquia creek, January 22, 1863,
Koser, William, died at Warrenton, Virginia, November, 1862,
Koser, Uriah,
LeFevre, Frank P.,
Lenhart, Jacob,
McBride, Daniel,
Marr, James,
Martin, Henry, died at Sharpsburg, Maryland, November 24, 1862, buried in National cemetery, Antietam—section 26, lot B, grave 224,
Martin, Daniel, died of wounds received at Fredericksburg, Virginia, December 13, 1862,
Minium, John A.,
Morris, A. Judson,
Moser, Jacob, killed at Cold Harbor, Virginia, June 1, 1864,
Moser, Jeremiah, died of wounds received at Fredericksburg, Virginia, December 13, 1862,
Moyer, John N.,
Moyer, Levi H., died of wounds received at Fredericksburg, Virginia, December 13, 1862,
Pontius, Henry B.,
Raboss, John,
Raboss, Henry, killed, March 24, 1865,
Rank, Samuel,
Reichley, George,
Reish, George,
Renner, William, L.,
Renner, Levi, died at Richmond, Virginia, Febuary 23, 1863, of wounds received at Fredericksburg, Virginia, December 13, 1862,

" , Geo.
" , Leonard
" , John
" , Widow

1776 Penn Twp
C's unreadable
Kerstetter, Michael
" , Bostian

1776 Penn Twp
Clemens, Abr
Kerstater, Sebastn.

1780 Penn Twp
Kasteter, Sebastian
" , Leonard
" , Widow

1790 Penn Twp.
Kerstetter, Martin

Clements, Mich.

1809 Centre Twp.
Clements, Peter

CLEMENS
KERSTETTER

EARLY ASSESSMENT RECORDS
of
Northumberland (Union, and Snyder) Counties, Pennsylvania

From original lists in
courthouse.

By Mary Belle Lontz
Milton, Pennsylvania

Huber, John
Cleckner, Solomon

SINGLE FREEMEN

Criss, John
Pouman, Thos.
Fry, Jacob,Jr.
Gray, Geo.
Hilander, Mich.
Lowdon, Rich'd.
M'Calvy, Dan'l
" , James
" , Sam'l
Moore, Jacob
Mathers, Wm.
Myers, John
Patton, John
Reaznor, John,Jr.
" , Geo.
Rerick, Peter
Rote, Jacob
Tom, Robt.
Wice, John
M'Cright, John

MIFFLINBURG, 1793

Bigg, Fred'k
Books, Geo.
Burrel, Thos.
Collins, John
Cook, John
Dresbach, Jacob
" , Henry
" , John
Feeman, Geo.
Gibbons, Widdow
Holms, Robt.
" , Jonathan
Irwin, Wm.,Esq.
Landgrove, Hermon
Longabaugh, Mich.
Mitzner, Jacob
Millar, Chas.
Phillips, John
Durdoo, Edward
" , John
Piper, Henry,Jr.
Durrel, Thos.
Reedy, Nicholas
Ray, Geo.
Reedy, Jacob
Sampsel, Nicholas
Shoemaker, John
Derr, Christian
Yonkman, Thos.
" , Geo.
Waggoner, Christ'n

BEAVER TOWNSHIP
1791

Albright, Jacob, Sr. & Jr.
Augustaon, Ronimus
Boucher, Anthony
Bob, Conorod
Bard, Jacob
Baker, Fred'k
Bell, Geo.
Briner, Philip
Carl, Hugh
Clerk, James
Creek, Jacob
Everhart, Barney
Dreece, John
Dininger, Fred'k
Dreece, Peter
" , Jacob
" , Michael
Ditto, France
Grosse, Dan'l
" , Henry
Grum, Jacob
Gnap, Geo.
Gross, Henry,Jr
Gift, Adam
Harpster, John
Howser, Jacob
Harpster, Jacob
Harts, John
Hassinger, Jacob, Sr. & Jr.
Hassinger, Fred
" , Dan'l
Huing, Thomas
Johnson, John
" , James
Kline, Christ'r.
" , Martin
Kern, Zast
Lewis, Thomas
Louder, Henry
Lapley, Jacob
Lok, Jacob
Mowry, Michael
Mick, Andrew
Mowry, Mich.,Jr.
Manning, Nathan
" , Elisha
Mattox, Jacob
Mire, Widow
Mook, Geo.
Michael, Jacob
Mire, John
Mummy, John
Myre, Nicholas
Mire, Jacob
" , Henry
Mook, John
Moon, Nathaniel
Nearhood, Henry
Newcomer, Peter
Outley, Edward
Paw, Jacob
Rafter, John
Royel, Stofel
Royer, Bastian
Roush, Jacob
Richel, Derve Adani
Bugal, Adam
Sherred, Daniel
Stoll, Matthias
Stumfe, Wm.
Sherred, Jacob
Stroub, And.
Stock, Geo.
Strayer, Mathias, Sr.
Sherred, Jacob
Snyder, Peter
Thomas, Geo.
" , John
Timer, ___
Vanhorn, Dan'l
Wood, John
Wona, Maker
Casper
Wise, John
" , Stoffel
Walt or Wall, John
Wiyond, Jacob
Yost, Widow
Young, Matthias

SINGLE MEN

Lewis, Lewis
Lewis, John
Drees, John
Holsinger, John
Streyer, And.
Sherred, Geo.
Bob, Jacob
Collins, David
Gross, John
Holsinger, Abr.
Edmison, Wm.

MAHANTANGO TWP.
1796

Albright, Fred'k Sr., Jr.
Arwangart, John
Albright, John
Alt, Geo.
Arnold, Casper
Anderson, Wm.
Bowman, Jacob
Bright, Mich.
Blasar, John
Bower, Peter
Burgant, Philip, Esq.
Bower, Daniel
Bickhart, John
Barnhart, Henry
Bay, John
Burkfield, Chas.
Eckhart, Jacob
Furrey, Christ'n.
Grebill, John
" , Christian
" , Jacob
Gordon, John
Gouckler, Geo.
German, Henry
" , John
" , Peter
Gunekel, Jacob
Geltnitz, Casper
Goy, Fred'k
Gethert, Henry
Heintz, Christ'n.
Haan, Mich., Sr.
Heisler, Henry
Hoff, James
Hostrman, Peter
Heimback, Peter
Hamelton, James
Herold, Simon
" , Frd'k.
" , George
Haan, Mich.,Jr.
Heltzel, Mathias
Heffer, Jacob
Hefflig, Jacob
Hershy, John
Hageman, John
Hershy, John,Jr.
Hoffman, ___
Heime, Paul
Johnson, John
Imhoff, Chas.
Kersteter, John
Keiser, Jacob
Kersteter, Geo.
" , Leonard
" , Martin
" , John
" , Widow
Krumbach, Geo.
Levangood, Jacob
Lander, Geo.
Levengood, John
Levey, Aaron
Levingood, Jacob
Leiter, John
Meiser, Geo.
Mederling, Baltzar
Meiser, Adam
" , Henry,Jr.

Kelly, John
Kough, Philip
Long, Daniel
Livingston, John
Lattimer, James
M'Cain, Thomas
Murray, Wm.
Mattlack, Timothy
Miles, Richard
" , Samuel
" , Able
Maclay, Wm.
" , W. & Shannon
M'Cormick, George
M'Nutt, Wm.
" , James
" ,Robt.
" , John
M'Mullen, John
Miles, Enoch
M'Cormick, Wm.
M'Connel, John
M'Grew, Jos.
" , Robt.
M'Cormick, James
Musser, Wm.
" , John
Martin, James
Proprietors Manor
Potter, James
Pollock, James
Punch, George
Richards, Jos.
Randles, Adam
Rankin, Wm.
Shakespear, D.
Stover, Jacob
Thompson, Wm.
" , Thos.,Jr.
" , Thomas
Trent, Wm.
Willson, Wm.
Watson, John
Wallace, Samuel
" , John
Woods, Geo.

WASHINGTON TWP.
1786

Adlum, John
Allison, David
Bennet, Justes
Bryen, Chas.
Bennet, Epharim
" , ______
" , Abraham
Bently, Green
Bennet, Thadeus
Brown, Widow
Buyers, John,Esq.
Buckhannan, John
Caldwell, James
Carell, Michael
Culbertson, And.
Cerres, Fred
Erwin, Wm.
Ferst, Conrad
Gray, Wm.
Green, Ebenezer
Gailer, Andrew
Hughling, Marcus
Hagerman, James
" , Aaron
Lowe, Cornelius,Jr.
Lawson, John
Lowe, Widow
" , Cornelius,Sr.
Longovell, Wm.
M'Cormick, Thos.
" , Seth
Mackey, Wm.
Mitcheltree, John
Montgomery, John
Nelson, John
Plunket, Wm.
Raynolds, Hugh
Rickey, John
Rees & Weeks
Rumsey, John
Simpson, John
Sips, Joseph
Sunderland, Daniel
Schollenbarger, Martin
Sheffer, Nicholas
Striker, Peter
Smith, Nathan
Swan, Samuel
Townsend, Gamaliel
Tinbrook, John
Van Fleet, Cornelius
Weeks, Jese
" , Widow
Weisoner, Thos.

SINGLE FREEMEN

M'Creary, John
Sunderland, Jos.
Brown, Wm.
Bennet, Mitchel
Brown, Chas.
Gruble, Peter
Emens, Jacob
Penrose, Wm.
Raynolds, Geo.

NON-RESIDENTS

Booner, Rudolph
Cooper, Geo.
Coates, Widow
Dillon, John
Dear, Benj.
Donaldson, Alex.
Dieffendaffer, Michael
Ellis, Wm.
Erwin, Geo.
Hains, Reuben
Hartly, Thos.
Lukens, Jese
M'Guire, Archibald
Miller, Geo.
Musser, John
M'Crosky, Doc. Parr & Williamson
Shippen, Jos.
" , Edward
Williams, Wm.
Giger, Christ'r.

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Only partially readable
Arnold, Larence
Adam, George
Augustian, Romans
Albright, Jacob
Arnold, Casper
Ault, Michael
Albright, Fred
Balt, Adam
Bickle, Tobias
Bolender, Adam
Bombarger, John
Bower, Peter
Beaker, Wm.
Bright, John
Bran, Martin
Brumbach, George
Barst, Peter
Bear, Jacob & M'Creal
Bresler, Nich.
Brous, John
Bower, Henry
Cooper, Geo.
Cream, John
(Rest of c's missing)
Housinger, Jacob
Holsterman, Peter, Jacob,Jr.
Jorday, Peter
Jordan, Phillip
Joast, Casper
Jacobs, Jos.
Kline, Jacob
Kroo, Godfrey
Keamer, Peter, Daniel
Kline, And., George
Krebile, John
Kersteter, Michael
" , Bostian
Kline, Stophel
Keller, Michael
Kebler, John
Kriger, Henry
Krail, Michael
Leiver, Adam
Lively, John
Loudishleger, Geo.
Lewis, John
Lenkey, Michael
Leist, David
Leinley, Leonard
Levingood, Fight
" , George, Jacob
Lowdon, Richard, John
Lowra, George
Long, Christian
Livey, Peter
Miser, Henry
Miller, Henry & Christian
Menich, Simeon
Myer, Charles
Mourer, Lawrence
" , Peter
Mull, Anthony
Menich, Simeon
Moore, Andrew
Myer, Jacob, Jr.
Miller, Fred
" , Dewald
Moon, Casper,Sr.
Manning, Richard
Moon, William
" , Casper,Jr.
Moak, Geo., Jr.
Mackey, Peter
Moats, John
Miser, Michael
" , John
Markle, Simeon
M'Queen, John
Moats, Michael
Myer, Jacob,Sr.
Murray, Alexander
Martin, Frederick
Myer, Michael
Myer, Stophel
Meese, Thomas
M'Kim, William
Newcomer, Francis
Neese, William

Newman, Jacob
Neff, Jacob
O'Bryan, Patrick
Pile, Peter
Paff, Dewald
Row, John
Riger, Mich.
Rush, John
Rough, Geo.
" , Geo.,Jr.
Row, Martin
Roush, Casper
" , George
Ridle, Yost
Reed, John
Reagen, Adam,Jr.
Rinhart, Henry
Ryme, Henry
Righter, Christian
Righinbach, John, Sr. & Jr.
Rigmick, John,Jr.
Robart, John
Ribart, John
Reed, Casper
Right, Ellis
Ream, John
Raw, Martin
Shock, Martin
Swingle, Mich.
Stimly, Dan'l
Spees, Jacob
Sheaver, Ludwick
Stroup, Peter
Stump, Casper
Schock, John
" , George
Spade, Jacob
Sharrats, Jacob
Shollenbarger, Lawrence
Sherick, John
Sheaver, And.
Stees, Jacob
Swartz, John
Shederly, And.
" , John
Sheaver, Peter
Snider, Simeon
Smith, John
Sneavely, Abr.
Swift, John
Steel, John
Snider, Anthony
Smith, Nicholas
Sensil, Fred
Stroam, Christian
Simeon, Jos.
Stigleman, Jacob
Summerowrer, Henry
Sutton, Stephen
Stephen, Adam
Swoab, Geo.
Strayer, Matthias
Snider, John
Stock, Melcher
Sharrets, Stophel
Trukenmiller, Peter
Treaster, Martin, Jr.
Treaster, Mich.
Troutner, Geo.
Trent, Wm.
Ulrick, Geo.
Whitenmyer, And.
Weiser, Peter,Sr.
" , Benj.
Weaver, Mich.
Wheaks, John
Wirick, Peter
" , Wm.
Wing, Hugh
Walter, Jacob
Warfel, Henry
Wise, George
Worrah, Simeon
Walter, Ludwick
Weitingmyer, Ludwick
Whitmore, Peter
Wallace, Sam'l
Whitmore, Mich.
Zimmerman, Stophel
Zeller, John
Zebach, Bartel
Zanringer, Adam

SINGLE MEN

Dill, Leonard
Bickle, Simeon
Drink, Chas.
Harrold, Simeon
Kemer, Dan'l
Kersteter, Martin
Miller, Conrod
Hawlick, Jacob
Stroup, John
Isenhour, Fred
Snider, Stophel
Stock, Peter
Weaver, John
Mishael, Daniel
Zeller, Henry
Maaxwell, James
Bickert, John
Garret, Henry
Dillman, And.

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Ault, Mich.
Arnold, Casper
Albright, Fred
Aumiler, Philip
Arnold, Lawrence
Albright, Jacob
Adam, Geo.
Buchtille, John
Bornson, Cathrine
Brauchte, Daniell
Bowerman, Geo.
" , John
Bairley, Anthony
Baker, Wm.
Bullman, Abr.
Breece, Widdow
Bower, Henery
Brouse, John
Brenard, Frances
Begell, Tobias,Jr
Bault, Adam
Begell, John
" , Tobias,Sr.
Bright, John
Bowersack, Paul
Benkle, John
Bumberger, John
Bveningham, Petter
Bumback, Geo.,Sr.
Berste, Petter
Bollinger, Adam
Batter, Geo.
Bart, Jacob
Bear, Jacob
Bran, Martin
Bower, Petter
Burkholder, Jacob
Begell, Thos.
Bertches, Christ'r.
Beinford, Geo.
Cox, John
Conday, Jos.
" , Petter
Conrad, Geo.
Cimerman, Christ'r
Clemens, Abr.
Dowelson, Widdow
Dauberman, Christ'r
Dehass, Phillip
Dinninger, Fred
Debler, Jos.
Domass, Thos.
Eghart, Jacob
Eberhart, Fred
Eveck, Philip
Fisher, Jacob
Fouts, Geo.
Figher, Jacob
Fight, John
" , Jacob
" , Christian
Fillip, Benj.
Fanney, Benj.
Fulke, Jacob
Fry, John
Fisher, Adam
Good, Henery
Gittner, Jacob
Gill, William
Goy, Fred
Grater, Anthony
Garter, Valentine
Glass, George
Gamberlin, Paul
Gouste, Christian
Gamberlin, Jacob
Grove, Andrew
Gullin, Moses
Gairl, Hugh
Galispie, Chas.
Gift, Adam
Herold, Geo.
Herman, Henery
Haun, Michaill
Hosterman, Petter
Holdennan, Jacob
Hartley, Jacob
Havelick, Conrad
Holsterman, Jacob
Houser, Matthias
Hains, John
Hainly, Stephen
Hawke, Michall
Hefer, Andrew
Hadinger, Petter
Hair, Abraham
Housinger, Jacob
Hock, Daniell
Henery, William
Hendershutt, Casper
Hester, Jacob
Housinger, Herman
Hester, Danill
Hampshire, John
Hain, George
Hains, Reuben
Hanengbaugh, W. Jacob
Hess, Matthis
Jacobs, Jos.
Jost, Casper
Kringe, Jacob
Kapenberger, Paul
Kestater, Sebastn.
Krain, John
Kraiger, Jacob

Kraiger, Henery
Kraible, John
Kooper, Geo.
Kaiber, Michall
Klain, Jacob
Krouse, David
Krail, Michal
Kerger, W. Ludowick
Kern, Yost
Klain, Geo.
" , Andrew
" , Stephen
Krain, Hugh
Kaimer, Petter
Kumer, Danill
Krow, Godfrey
Knouse, And.
Klinger, Smith
Smiley, Leonard
Leffe, Petter
Levengood, Geo.
" , Fight,Jr.
" , Jacob
Levi, Adam
Longe, Christian
Leaply, Jacob
" , Michell
Lemon, Thos.Esq.
Leste, David
Louden, Rich'd
Libe, Simon
Loudenslager,Geo.
" , Feddie
Miller, Christian
" , Conrad
" , Henry
Mouer, Michall
Moutz, Geo.
Moon, Casper
" , John
Maning, Richard
More, And.
Moon, Wm.
" , Casper, Jr.
Moutz, Jacob
Mill, John(?)
Maier, John
Musser, Ridell
Mogell, Valentin
Miller, Dewald
Mouerer, Lawrence
" , Petter
M'Millen, John
Molle, Anthony
Martin, Fred
Miller, Geo.
Mitchell, Dan'l
Miser, Mishall
Meteer, Robt.
Meser, Henery
Murray, Alex.
Miser, Tom or John
Markley, Petter
" , Simon
Miller, Richard
Moutz, John
" , Mischell
Mayer, Mischall
" , Jacob
Mares, Wm.
Maning, Simon Sr., Jr.
Mayer, Chas.
" , Jacob,Jr.
McCabe, Edward
Nece, William
Nighman, Jacob
Netz, Lowdewick
Nece, Thos.
North, John
Night, John
Newcomer, Frances
Newman, W.
Otley, Edward
Plain, Ephram
Pull, Geo.
Paul, Dewald
Rine, Henry
Regenbauch, John
Reed, John
Raw, Martin
Riger, Elias
Reger, Stephen
Right, Elias
Reiber, John
Richter, Christiana
Rohrbauch, Simon
Reed, Casper
Redbauch, Fred
Raush, Casper
" , Jacob
" , George
Ridell, Yoste
Regenbauch, John,Sr.
Raush, John
Rees or Res, John
Riger, Michell
" , John
" , Adam
Ridle, John
Raugh, John
Raw, George
Rewnomus, Augustin
Rechin, John
Raw, Geo.,Sr.
" , Martin
Snider, John
Sechrist, Christ'n
Spangle, Zachariah
Snider, Herman
Shederly, And.
Shamarin, Susanah
Shaffer, Petter
Stephen, Adam
Shoope, Geo.
Shumerowen,Henery
Shaffer, And.
Swartz, John
Spees, John
Shark, John
Smith, Nicholas
Stroup, Petter
Stump, Abr.
Shaffer, John
Shock, Mathias
Smith, John
Swineford, Albright
Stuars, Jacob
Snider, Antony
Storm, Christ'n
Santsell, Fred
Snider, John
Stock, Melcher
Stormley, Daniell
Stoke, Methis
Simons, Jos.
Swingle, Michall
Shellenberg, Leventz
Swife, W. or John
Semple, John
Spat, Jacob
Shurtee, Jacob
Spees, Jacob
Stock, John
Stoke, Geo.
Snyder, Simon
Steighleman, Jacob
Thomas, Geo.
" , John
Troutner, Geo.
Traster, Geo.
" , Martin
TruckenMiller, Fred
Troutner, Geo.
TruckenMiller, Peter
Treaster, Martin
Trent, Wm.
Troy, Michael
Trasler, Michell
Ulireck, Geo.
Vangundy, Jos.
Wiser, Benj.Esq.
" , Peter,Sr.
" , Philip
" , Conrad
Witenmier, Lowick
Wirck, Wm.
" , Petter
Wiles, John
Wilhard, Michall
Whitmore, Michall
Wallace, Samuell
Woodrode, Simon
Weber, Michall
Wiser, Petter,Sr.
Walter, Jacob
" , Lowdewick
Witenmier, And.
Whilings,-ire
Williams, James or Emeon
Williams & Taylor
Welch, John
Widdow, Breece
Zeller, John
Zedbauch, Bartill
Zimerman, Stophell
Zinrnigen, Adam

SINGLE MEN

Herold, Simon
Reser, Martin
Shengle, Andrew
Lower, Petter
Haun, Michell
Weiser, John
Snider, Mophel
Mock, Petter
Slock, Michall
Trasler, Jacob
Mook, Jacob
Mockell, Nicholas
Holsterman, Jacob
" , Petter

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Augultin, Renimus
Alt, Michael
Asburn, ___
Arnold, Casper
Albright, Jacob
Aumiller, Philip
Albright, Fred
Adam, George
Arnold, Lawrence
Bollender, Adam, Sr. & Jr.
Bunkir, Abraham
Beil, George

Bartses, Stophel
Bickel, Thos.
Binford, Geo.
Borer, Peter
Bowerman, Geo.
" , John
" , Michael
Byerly, Adam
Bright, Daniel
Buchtil, John
Bower, Peter
Beard, David
Bearsh, Peter
Brien , John
Beard, Wm.
Borald, Adam
Bickard, John
Baker, Wm.
Blane, Ephraim
Bickell, John
" , Simon
" , Tobias
Bright, John
Banard, France
Bowrsax, Paul
Bart, Jacob
Benjamin, Wm.
Brouse, John
Bader, Geo.
Braner, Ludowic
Bear, Jacob
Bombaugh, Widdow
Conrod, Geo.
Capenberger, Paul
Cox,____
Collins, Moses
Closs, Geo.
Cline, Jacob
" , Geo.
" , Andrew
" , Christopher
Crow, Godgrey
Cegtsen,_____
Douberman, Christn
Daull, Widdow
Daubler, Matthias
Deninger, Jacob
Deaner, Geo.
Davis, Col.
Eberhart, Fred
" , Barnard
Ewy, Philips
Egeh, Wm.
Echard, Jacob
Eshber, Widdow
Evans, John
Frey, John
Fisher, Jacob
Foutz, John
Fremlen,___
Fancy, Benj.
Frey, Geo.
Fisher, Adam
Freyberg, Ludwig
Feyot, Christn
Feyd, Jacob
Green, Wm.
Giell, Wm.
Gettock, Sophel
Ginny, ___, weaver
Gribble, John
Griger, Valentine
Gany, Fred
Grators, Anthony
Green, John
Giellen, Wm.
Gamberlin, Paul
Gunty, Jos.
Gaws, Christn
Gamberling, Jacob
Guyger, Valentine
Gift, Adam
Good, Henry
Gamberlin, Jacob
Gildner, Jacob
Greel, Michael
Gamberlin, Chas.
Gillespie, Chas.
Hains, Jacob
Harman, John
House, John
Hartinger, Peter
Haughenbaugh,Jacob
Hassinger, Herman
Heffeling, Jacob
" , Conrad
Herhold, Geo.
Hohn, Mishel
Haines, Reuben
Horn, Sam'l
Henry, Wm.
Hess, Matthias
Houlsterman,Peter
Hack, Michael
Hackle, Stophel
Heister, Dan'l
Hassinger, Jacob
Hook, Stephen
Hoan, Mich.,Sr.
Herman, Henry
Ketterman, David
Kesler,____
Kemmeror, Peter
Kerel, Hugh
Kemmerer, Dan'l
Kasteter, Sebastian
" , Leonard
" , Widow
Koleman, John
Kiell, Abel
Keller, And.
Kern, Yoast
Krous, David
Kreeck, Philip
" , Jacob
Koch, Dan'l
Karger, Ludowick
Leist, David
" , Andrew
Lemel, Leonard
Lese, Peter
Lantenslager, George
Long, Christn
Leble, Jacob
Levangut, Jacob
" , Fiyt
Liver, Adam
Lieb, Simon
Lemmon, Widow
Morrety, Fred
Miser, Henry
Miller, Geo.
Mixhael, Peter
Miller, Conrad
" , Leland
Manning, John
" , Richard
Moon, Casper, Sr. & Jr.
Moon, Thos.
" , John
" , Wm.
Miller, Conrad
Meyer, John
Muntier, Robt.
M'Mullen, John
Miller, Christn
Mull, And.
Meyer, Anthony
Mogel, Vallentine
Meyer, Stophel
Moon, James
Mattig, Dan'l.
Metz, Jacob
Morting, Jacob
Mowrer, Mich.
Minnig, Simmon
Meyer, Chas.
Mowrer, Peter
Miller, Dewalt
Moore, And.
" , Geo.
Miller, Adam
Motz, Mich.
M'Lageh, Betty
Murray, Alex.
Miess, Thos.
Meisser, John
" , Michael
Merskel, Simon
M'Cabe, Edward
Meyer, Philip
Miller, Christn
" , Fred
Neyman, Jacob
Neycomer, Peter
Ney, John
Neits, Ludowig
" , Philip
Noits, John
Neiss, Wm.
Ogden, Joseph
Oudly, Edward
Philips, Benj.
Peyel, Geo.
Plunket, Dr. Wm.
Preiss, Jos.
Queen, Hugh
Ritche, Robt.
Rissch, John
Regers, John
Reyet, Elias
Rau, Geo.,Jr.
Reytel, Youst
Rau, John
" , Geo.,Sr.
" , Martin,Sr.,Jr.
Rohrbach, Simon
Rehbart, Fred
Rafter,____
Reger, Elias
Riet, John
Regar, Adam
Raush, Geo.
Reem, John
Raush, Caspar
" , Jacob
Reed, Caspar
Reger, Michael
Reyer, Stophel
Rybert, John,Sr.
Reihm, Henry
Reihter, Christ'r.
Reichenbach, John, SR., Jr.
Rybert, John
Swinefort, John
Stok, Michael
Stock, George
Sweinfort, Albright
Shaw, Wm.,Esq.
Schoch, Mathias
Steimly, Dan'l
Spies, Jacob

Shoemaker, Peter
Shock, Geo.
" , Jacob
Shederle, And.
Schnyder, Anthony
Sties, Jacob
Smith, Mannicle
Seegrist, Christn.
Snyder, Herman
" , Simon(s/o Anthony, Dec'd.)
Swingle, Mich.
Sutton, Zachariah
Swift, John
Steyrs, Henry
Sensyl, Fred
Smith, John
Shaffer, Ludowick
Straub, Peter
Shirg, John
Shaffer, Geo.
Stump, Abr.
Snewel, Abr.
Sharret, Jacob
Snyder, John
Shedderly, John
Swartz, John
Sheffer, And.
" , Peter
Smith, Geo.
Stigleman, Jacob
Steffy, Adam
Sharrer, Mich.
Swob, Geo.
Smith, Stephen
Strayer, Matthias
Sped, Jacob
Simon, Jos.
Sneider, Anthony
Snyder, Simon
Steyers, Jacob
Sample, ____
Strom, Christn.
Stok, Melchior
Shollenberger, Lorentz
Trester, Mich.
Trengel, Matthias
Trugenmiller, Peter
Troutner, Geo.
Truckenmiller, Fred
Trester, Martin
T'hass, Philip
Thomas, John
" , George
Taylor, Walter
Under, Knibler
Ulrich, Geo., Sr., Jr.
Woodward, Simon
Wittenmeyer, And.
Weirig, Wm.
" , Peter
Willis, John
Wolf, George
Wallace, Samuel
Weitman, Matthias
Wittmer, Mich.
Williams, Eneas
Williams & Taylor
Wittner, Peter
Weiser, Benj.
" , Conrad
" , Fred(dec'd)
Walter, Jacob
Wittenmeyer, Ludowick
Weaver, Mich.
Zellmer, John
Zimmerman, Stophel
Ziebach, Bartell
Yorde, Peter
Youst, Casper

SINGLE FREEMEN

Stock, Peter
Tremgel, Peter
Kamerer, Dan'l
Race, Ludowick
Greybl, Christn.
Bikel, Jacob
Fisher, Abr.
Stroub, John
Troutner, Geo.
Merckli, Geo.
Bower, Peter
Merser, John
Kirstator, Martin
Shnyder, Thos.
Zellner, Henry
Hornberger, Chas.
Berts, Benj.

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Albright, Fred
Arnold, Adam
Augestine, Rominus
Apple, Jonas
Arnold, Casper
Alt, Michael
Aumiller, John
Brownlee, John
Benford, Geo.
Bucher, John
Bickel, Tobias
Brenner, Frantz
Bolender, Adam, Sr., Jr.
Bolender, Fred
Bear, Jacob
Bauersax, Paul
Bader, Jacob
Berry, Jacob
Bickel, Simon
" , John
Bickert, John
Bowerman, Geo.
Bright, Mich.
Bierly, Anthony
Buchtel, John
Borer, Jacob
Bosler, Geo.
Conrad, Geo.
Duck, John
Druckenmiller, Fred
Dillman, Andrew
Daberman, Christn.
Draub, John
Dillman, Mich.
Devore, Abr.
Daberman, Peter
Eshlar, Widow
Evans, Fred
Anderson, Wm.
Ekhart, Jacob
Felty, Cunrad
Fryburger, Ludwick
Furry, Christn.
Fry, John
Fisher, Adam
Graybill, Christn.
" , John, Jr.
" , John
Giltner, Jacob
Guinny, Jacob
German, John
Gast, Christian
Goy, Fred
German, Jacob
" , Peter
Gemberling, Chas.
Groh, Godfrey
Glemens, Peter
Gift, Wm.
Gemberling, Jacob
Glas, Geo.
Gettig, Fred
Holl, Adam
Hosterman, Jacob
Heffer, And.
Hains, John
Hosterman, Peter
Hamman, Geo.
Herold, Simon
Heflig, Jacob
Hauser, John
Hahor, Mich. Sr.
Hahn, Mich.
Heisler, Henry
Herman, John
Hesler, Wm.
Hook, Stephen
Jerrian, Jacob
Jordan, Phillip
Evans, Abr.
Klein, Jacob
Koch, Daniel
Keiser, Jacob
Kerstetter, Martin
Kurtz, Michael
Koler, John
Kerstetter, Leonard
" , George
" , Bostian
Kuntz, John
Kuhn, Jacob
Loudesleger, Valentine
Lutts, John
Leist, Andrew
Laber, Jacob
Lebegut, Jacob
" , George
Lieber, Adam
Maurer, Peter
Meiser, Mich.
Mahorter, Henry
Miller, Fred
Mattix, Richard
Meyer, Charles
" , Jac(s/o Chas.)
" , George
" , Jac, Jr.
" , Jacob, Sr.
Merkle, Peter
Mitterling, Balscr
Meiscr, John
Merkel, Geo.
Motz, John
Meiser, John
Motz & Miller
Miller, Sigmund
Motz, George
Moore, George
Mertz, Nicholas
Michael, Martin
Miller, Benj.
Moore, Andrew
" , Philip
Mattix, Peter
Morter, Jacob

Miller, Jacob
Meyer, Jac.
Meiser, Henry
Meyer, Philip
Miller, Dewald
Mertz, Philip
Mocle, Nicholas
" , Casper
Morter, John
Nees, Wm.
Neitz, Ludwick
Newman, Jacob
Neitz, Philip
Nothstein, John
Pontius, Peter
Pile, George
Price, Thomas
Pontius, John
Quinn, Hugh
Row, Martin
Roth, Frantz
Riehm, Nicholas
Row, Geo.
Roush, Casper
" , George
Roth, Gotleib
Rubel, Conrad
Reed, Casper
Rohbach, Simon
Richter, Christn.
Rein, Henry
Reichelbach, Jacob
Rowen, John
Row, John
Reedy, Peter
Reger, John
Shawer, Christ'r.
Stump, Abr.
Snengel, Mich.
Straub, Peter
" , Adam
Shetterly, And.
Smith, David
Straub, Chas.
Jr. & Sr.
Shafer, Mich.
Shreiber, Philip
Stees, Fred
Shower, Mich.
Swineford, Albright
Smith, John
Swinford, John
Spade, Jacob
Steimly, Dan'l
Stock, Peter
" , Melchior
Shock, Matthias
Spees, Herman

Shirk, John
Spangler, Zach.
Shifer, John
Shafer, Peter
Swartz, John
" , Peter
Shetterly, Henry
Snyder, Herman
Shisler, Jacob
Snyder, John
Seilin& Snyder
Sigrist, Christn.
Shetterly, John
Snyder, John, Jr.
Smith, Stephen
Shatzberger, Stophel
Snyder, Jacob
Spies, Jacob
Schock, Jacob
Shock, John
Sinclair, Duncan
Schock, Philip
Smith, Adam
Shock, Christ'r.
Shumaker, Peter
Shipton, Thos.
Spickman, James
Steinbruck, Abr.
Stock, Mathias
Tevore, Isaac
Treaster, Wm.
" , Mich.
Thomas, Alex.
Ulrich, Geo.
Wenner, Christn.
Wyand, Geo.
Winkelblck, Leonard
" , John
Wittenmyer, David
Walter, Jacob
Weaver, Mich.,
Sr., Jr.
Witmer, Peter
Woodrow, Simon
Wenner, And.
Wolf, Geo.
Wails, John
Weirick, Wm.
" , Peter
Young, Geo.
Zerbe, Peter
Zimmerman, Stophel
Zeller, John
Zimmerman, Christn.
" , William

UN-IMPROVED LANDS

Koch, Widow
Gettig, Stophel
Folk, John
Carothers,______
Fox, Henry
Wallis, Sam'l
H. Peter & Snyder
Zantzinger, And.
Levi, Aaron
Buyers, John
Spyker, Henry
" , Peter
Cruck, Jacob
Jakson, J____
Heuman, Conrad
Hartinger
Feight
Hainly
W. Murray
Hartley, Thos.
Gemberling, Chas.
Deemer, John
Kremer, Philip
Remer, Philip
Mason, Thompson
Baker, Wm.
Kebler, John
Gemberling, Chas.
Hains, Reuben
Martin, Fred
Williams, Wm.
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" , Mich.
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Woodling, Simon
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" , Peter
Young, Geo.
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Zimmerman, Stophel
Zeller, John
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" , William
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" , Casper
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Seebold, Albright
Smith, John
Seebold, John
Spade, Jacob
Sheeley, Sam'l
Shock, Peter
" , Solomon
Shock, Nicholas
Spies, Herman

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Romig, Solomon
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Road, John
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" , Adam
Wise, John
Wisle, John
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Wise, Stophel
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" , Jacob
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Weiand,Jacob, weaver
Walter, George
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Weimmer, Godfried, blacksmith

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" , Wm.,Sr.
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" , Jacob
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" , Peter
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Gemberlin, Jacob
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Graybill, Jacob
Gordan, Willis
Gelnit, Casper
Graybill, Christian
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Herrold, Simon, sawmill
" , Fred
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Hoffman, George
Hahn, Andrew
" , Michael
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Houswirt, Jacob
Hochmeister, Chas.
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Hosterman, Peter
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Heslich, John
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Hagirty, Robert
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Helsol, Matthias
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Hirsby, Jos., s
Houser, Jacob, s
Heslich, Philip, s
Hendrick, Ephraim
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Hentz, Lawrence
Herold, George, s
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" , George
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" , John
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" , Nicholas
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Laver, Jacob
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Liter, John
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" , Martin, s
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Matter, Cathirina
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" , Andrew
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" , Jacob
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Shetterly,Cath.
" , George
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" , Herman
Straub, Daniel
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Smith, John,s
Snyder, Christn. s
Secrist, Peter
Shiterly, And.
Stephen, John
Shadel, Henry
Swartz, John
Smith, Jacob
Swartz, Peter
" , John
" , Margt. widow
Shaffer, Peter,Sr.
Shaffer, Mich.
" , John
" , Peter,Jr.
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Strafser, Nich.
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Sophel, John
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Shower, Adam
Shitterly,Jacob,s
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Thornton, John
Vance, Robt.
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Weller, John
Witmer, Solomon
" , John
Woodling, Geo.
Wyand, Geo.
Walter, Ludwick
" , Sophia
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Woomer, Daniel
Woodrow, Simon
Witmer, Abr.
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Zellers, John
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" , Tobias
" , Benj., s
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1809, CENTRE TWP.

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Apple, George
Bolick, Fred
Bichler, John
Bernstein, John
Beaver, Mich.
Bolander, Henry
" , Adam
Buchart, John
" , Daniel
Bousasc, Michael
" , Margaret
Beaver, Jacob
Bear, Isaac
Beaver, Mich.
Bolander, Fred
Bechtel, Phillip
Bousax, Jacob
Broos, Stephen
" , Juda
Bear, Adam
Beaty, Hugh
Boyer, Henry
" , Anthony
Baker, John
Bishop, John
" , Jacob
Bousax, George
Boyar, John
Bouset, Nicholas
Boyer, Samuel
Bolick, George
Brown, John
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Benninghof, Fred
Benford, Henry
Benninghof, Philip
Benford, Geo.
Bousax, Daniel
" , Benj,
Benford, Daniel
" , John
Bechtel, Jacob
Close, Solomon
Cummings, James
Clements, Peter
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Bohner, Catharine	12/18/1829-10/8/1862	Adam Ferster	Red Cross Cem
d/o Johannes + Maria Delp			
" , Charles A	1896- 1977	Lydia W. Raker	1898- 1966
s/o George R + Catherine Rebuck			
" , Leo F	1897- 1967	Gertrude M. Savage	1898-
s/o David G. + Mary J. Bohner			
Baker, Joseph Z	9/13/1853-1/16/1910	Mary E	2/23/1865-11/26/1910
" , Jennie E	4/10/1885-11/19/1900		
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d/o Solomon + Salome Michael			
Bingaman, Sarah A	4/4/1827-9/25/1903	Enoch D. Raker	6/7/1822-6/23/1888
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" , Abraham	8/17/1874-1/25/1948	Cora Derr	1879- 1959
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" , Israel E	3/6/1877-9/29/1966	Katie S. Reed	4/1/1881-4/13/1909
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s/o Adam E + Margaret Byerly			
" , Isaiah	11/18/1897-12/12/1946	s/o Adam E + Margaret E. Byerly	
" Amelia J	6/27/1900-4/14/1947	d/o Abraham + Cora Derr	
" , Daniel W	4/11/1906-8/28/1906	s/o Charles E + Carrie Hoffman	
" , Wm. H.	1907- 1975	Margaret I	1915- 1970
" , Margaret M	7/7/1912-9/26/1914	d/o Joseph A + Katie R. Phillips	
" , Boyd E	2/21/1913-10/2/1913	s/o Jno R + Mary M	
" , Grace E	7/10/1917-9/11/1922	d/o " "	
" , Freda J	1925- 1925		

Howerter, Lester L.	11/25/1909-	Arlene K	12/25/1915-
Huber	12/22/1814-9/6/1835		
Humble, Catharine	9/13/1855-4/21/1858	d/o Thomas + Sarah	
Kerstetter, Philip s/o Leonard + Susanna Gerhart	9/25/1800-1/18/1884	Catharine Eisenhart	11/27/1801-6/13/1885
" , Lilly C. d/o Felix + Eliz. Beachel	9/27/1867-11/6/1921	David D. Long	10/15/1865-2/18/1944
Klase, Henry A	4/15/1811-7/3/1888	Eva	3/6/1826-6/14/1872
" . G Clinton	3/5/1853-3/28/1926	Sophia	2/4/1844-1/7/1916
" , Infant	7/27/1877-7/29/1877	s/o G. Clinton + Sophia	
Klock, George L	3/4/1892-4/18/1954	Carrie M Reed	8/4/1896- 1966
" , Infant	-7/1/1919	s/o George L + Carrie M	
Koefer, Barbara	4/5/1779-12/17/1838		
" , Elizabeth		Christian Kramer	5/20/1800-11/15/1853
Kramer, Christian	5/20/1800-11/15/1853	Elizabeth Koefer	
" . Philip	-1/28/1858	s/o Christian + Elizabeth Koefer	
" , Anna C.	12/2/1858-7/23/1859	d/o C + M	
Long, Samuel C s/o John + Mary A Camp	12/22/1828-4/28/1890	Lydia Dunkelberger	9/29/1833-9/18/1907
" , David D s/o Samuel C + Lydia Dunkelberger	10/15/1865-2/18/1944	Lilly C. Kerstetter	9/27/1867-10/6/1921
" , Louisa	8/9/1867-8/24/1869	d/o Samuel C + Lydia Dunkelberger	
" . N. Ira	1877- 1946	Tamie	2/5/1882-2/27/1952
" . George H	1886- 1952	Emma A	1900-
" , Alvin C s/o David D + Cora Kerstetter	1890- 1967	Flossie F	1890-
" . Samuel F s/o David D + Cora Kerstetter	1896- 1966	Verna Raker	
" , Katie M	1898- 1947		
" , Raymond A	1903-	Goldie E	1901- 1973
" , Charles F	1907- 1978	Flora O	1910- 1976
" , Lester F	1907- 1972	Helen I	1915-
" , J. Daniel	8/2/1908-3/11/1948		
" , Hazel I	2/8/1921-7/2/1931	s/o Samuel + Verna Raker	
" . Glenn E	1934 1968	Jeanne V	1940.

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Bachman, George M.	12/25/1868-8/27/1898	Lucy Wary	
Berger, Leah d/o Martin + Maria Rebecca Scholl	8/10/1799-9/9/1870	George Long	
Biddinger, A. F.		Olive V. Koons	8/9/1880-3/4/1900
" , Katie E.	11/3/1883-1/14/1894	d/o George + Florence	
" , George	2/28/1900-5/21/1900	s/o A.F. + Olive	
Billman, David s/o Jacob + Maria M Weaver	4/16/1799-9/24/1874	Sarah	7/5/1794-8/20/1896
" , Eliza d/o David + Sarah	11/25/1836-2/10/1907	Nathen Henninger	4/3/1839-9/7/1902
Bixler, Elizabeth	4/13/1811-8/30/1888	Johann Boyer	3/26/1803-1/4/1876
Boyer, Johann s/o J. Heinrich + Magdalena Kirchner		Catharina Weikel	6/21/1784-9/12/1858
" , Johann s/o John + Catharina Weikel	3/26/1803-1/4/1876	Elizabeth Bixler	4/13/1811-8/30/1888
" , Elizabeth	12/25/1838-4/28/1843	d/o John + Elizabeth Bixler	
" , Charles B s/o John + Elizabeth Bixler	4/27/1836-2/16/1918	1. Lovina A. Haupt	12/14/1838-9/20/1863
		2. Rushe A. Startzel	1/8/1845-11/19/1879
" , Inf	8/12/1863-11/9/1863	d/o Charles + Lovina A Haupt	
" , Inf	7/17/1866-7/21/1866	c/o Charles + Rushanna Startzel	
" , William	5/14/1867-11/6/1871	s/o Gabriel + Mary	
" , Asker	6/21/1869-10/30/1871	s/o " "	
" , George W	2/22/1871-1/25/1899	Annetta Whary	
" , Catharine	5/30/1873-8/3/1873	d/o Gabriel + Mary	
" , Mary E	7/11/1875-9/17/1878	d/o Charles + Rushe A Startzel	
" , Sadie	9/6/1888-1/30/1892	d/o Albert + Catherine	
Brocius, Inf	2/11/1902-3/3/1902	d/o Joel + Amanda	
Carl, Mary		Thomas Henninger	3/4/1802-12/17/1843
Cupp, Jennie	5/12/1884-7/17/1884	d/o Milton + Harriet A	
" Joseph D	10/28/1887-3/27/1889	s/o " "	

Henninger, George 1/18/1858-4/2/1886	
" , Catharine 1872-4/ /1874	d/o Jarred + Mary M
" , Nathen 7/18/1874-9/8/1874	
" , Lewis L 4/26/1881-5/9/1904	
" , Carrie M 4/12/1883-8/9/1885	d/o William + Eliza Ann
" , George 8/14/1887-12/29/1901	s/o " "
" , Lillie 3/ /1892-5/7/1892	d/o William + Lillie A
" , Alda R 8/25/1892-1/20/1897	
" , Luther E 2/4/1895-9/17/1895	s/o Emory + Lena
" , Irene 3/6/1896-2/21/1897	d/o " "
" , Lottie E 9/30/1896-12/30/1901	d/o William H + Eliza A
" , Leroy J 4/1/1897-8/24/1897	
" , Raymond 9/12/1898-8/2/1901	s/o William + Hannah J
" , Minnie A 10/25/1898-10/14/1904	d/o Charles + Ida
" , Daniel 1/26/1899-7/7/1900	s/o William + Elizabeth
" , Inf -3/16/1900	d/o Charles + Ida
" , Martin 6/ /1900-7/ /1900	s/o William + Hannah J
" , Inf 8/5/1900-	s/o Harvey + Ester
" , Edna M 4/25/1901-6/4/1901	d/o Syslvester + Anne G
" , Clyde J 5/10/1901-1/22/1907	s/o " "
Heinrich, Anna 10/23/1810-9/2/1874	Brian Hornberger 8/ /1803-8/5/1870
Hepler, Gertrude 10/21/1804-4/5/1870 d/o Johannes + Catharine Maurer	Jacob Haupt 9/3/1798-1/11/1859
Holwig, Elizabeth 12/2/1815-4/2/1855	Andreas Klinger
Horn, William G.A.R.	
Hornberger, Samuel 5/20/1792-5/6/1858	Esther 2/5/1802-5/30/1886
" , Brian 8/ /1803-8/5/1870	Anna Henrich 10/23/1810-9/2/1874
" , George 3/3/1831-6/16/1900	Elizabeth Wagner 3/3/1836-8/12/1860
Kastetter, George 4/22/1802-10/14/1889 s/o Leonard + Susanna Gearhart	Elizabeth Derck 10/22/1806-9/30/1896
Kerstetter, Susanna 9/10/1806-3/29/1868 d/o Leonard + Susanna Gearhart	Peter Weikel 9/16/1809-2/12/1873
" , Levi O 12/23/1816-11/15/1901 s/o George + Eliz Derck	Susan F Haupt 12/23/1838-1/7/1917

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Find date of death for Elizabeth
was Susanna 2nd wife

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LUTHERAN AND REFORMED CHURCH

Washington Township, Northumberland County,

Pennsylvania

Parish Register,

1774-1886

INTRODUCTION

The building shared by the Lutheran and Reformed (now United Church of Christ) congregations of Himmel's Church was destroyed by fire January 18, 1959, and with it the earliest records of the congregations. Fortunately, two independent translations had been made, one by W. Hinke for the Historical Society of the Reformed Church, Lancaster Theological Seminary, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, and the other through the WPA by Paul H. Noll. The following pages are a typed copy of the Noll translation - regrettably the poorer of the two. There are indications of errors evident even without having the German original before us. For instance, the translation of entries made by Pastor Götz (in pages 19-21 of this transcript) fails to take into account the obvious fact that Götz added -en or -s to the parents' names, an indication of the genitive in German. Where there is doubt, it would be well to compare the Hinke translation.

Buried in the records is an historical statement, which we prefer to quote here:

> "We the Lutheran and Reformed Congregation members, have, under the guidance of our Lord sought to build a house for our Saviour Jesus Christ, so that our children and ourselves can be prepared through the word of God and by the Holy Sacraments, to eternal salvation. Although in one of the greatest of difficulties, during the year of Christ 1773, we have approximately sixty acres, which the Patent will prove, upon which we, in 1774, erected a schoolhouse and have our children instructed by a able schoolteacher, C. H. Kaufmann. And, also, on the Lutheran side, the Rev. M. Enderlein of the united ministerium, and on the Reformed side by the Rev. Cocto, there is administered publicly divine services and the holy sacraments. We are awaiting yet at present the

> Patent from the Land office, should therein the naming Lutheran or Reformed be omitted, as this must be mentioned, it may be as it is, there shall be, at common cost, turned over to the not mentioned a deed, so that each congregation shall have a equal rights to the land and schoolhouse and anything else this is to be as an assurance."

The task of retyping the records from a copy in the possession of Dr. Glenn Schwalm was done by Mrs. Peggy J. Breighner.

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Gettysburg, Pennsylvania
April 3, 1969

Parents	Children	Sponsors
Ad. Hedtrick and wife Maria Catrina	Anna Barbara born July 24, 1782 bapt. Aug. 11, 1782	Nicol. Brosius and wife-Grandparents
Joh. Nicol Brosius	Johan Peter born July 23, 1782 bapt. Aug. 11, 1782	Peter Forster and wife Elisabeth
Michael Schaefer	Joh. Nicol. born Aug. 24, 1782 bapt. Sept. 18,1782	The Grandparents - Nicol. Brosius and wife
Philip Löfler and wife Catrin	Joh. Philip born Sept. 29, 1782 bapt. Oct. 13, 1782	Philip Klinger and wife Ana Maria
Peter Forster and wife Elisabeth	Johannis born Sept. 15, 1782 bapt. Oct. 13, 1782	Nicolaus Brosius Jr. and wife Maria
Leonhardt Kirstätter and wife Elisabeth	Magdalena born Nov. 2, 1782 bapt. Nov. 3, 1782	Joh. George Pfeifer wife Magdalena
Joh. Heim and wife Catrine	Elisabeth born Nov. 14, 1782 bapt. Dec. 1, 1782	Elisabeth Heim
Henr. Gröhonger wife Maria	Elisabeth born Nov. 15, 1782 bapt. Dec. 1, 1782	Henr. Zartm— wife Elisabeth
Henr. Köhler and wife Elisabeth	Friederich born Jan. 7, 1783 bapt. May 9, 1783	G. Pfeiffer and wife Magdalena
Henr. Löfler and wife Elisabeth	Jannes born Jan. 25, 1783 bapt. Mar. 9, 1783	Joh. Bingaman and wife Anna
Martin Zartmann and wife Sus.	Benjamin born Mar. 13, 1783 bapt. Apr. 6, 1783	Leonh. Kaufman and wife Elisabet
Georg Furster and wife Agnes	Johann Georg born Mar. 30, bapt. June 29, 1783	Caspar Schneider and wife Elis.

Parents	Children	Sponsors
Georg Schreckengast and wife Elis.	Georg Bernhard born Mar. 25 bapt. Apr. 29, 1787	Joh. Schreckengast
Christian Stutzman and wife Elisa	Johann Adam born Feb. 10 bapt. the 29th, 1787	J. Ad. Hederich and wife
Martin Zartmann and wife Sus.	Barbara born the 21 bapt. Apr. 29, 1787	Michel Schafer and Christine Zartmann(in) single
J. Georg Schäfer and wife Sus.	Johannes born.Feb. 26 bapt. Apr. 29, 1787	Georg Pfeiffer and wife
Christophal Henderich	Johann Nicholaus born Feb. 3, 1787 bapt. May 13, 1787	Wilhelm Förster and wife Magdalena
Henerich Miniam	Maria Catharina born Apr. 21, 1787 bapt. May 13, 1787	Hann. Georg Prosius and wife Catharina
Leonhardt Kaufmann	Johann Frederich born Mar. 6, 1789(SIC) bapt. May 13, 1787	Christian Gobel, Catharina Rothen
Johann Adam Repock	Johann Adam born May 24, 1787 bapt. June 21	Michael Rapock and Elisabeth Albets(en)
Leonhard Kirstaeter	Hann. Georg. born May 20, 1787 bapt. July 8, 1787	Hann Georg Pheiffer and wife Magdalena
Gottfried Kremer	Georg born Jan. 20, 1787 bapt. July 8, 1787	Peter Maurer and wife Catharina
Christian Stutzmann	Hann. Peter born June 1, 1787 bapt. July 8, 1787	Peter Schmitt and wife Elisabeth
Jacob Härter	Johannes born July 24 bapt. Aug. 6, 1787	Mathias Heim, Magdalena Ried(en)

Parents	Children	Sponsors
Heinrich Daniel	Hann. Georg. born July 13, 1787 bapt. Aug. 6, 1787	Frederich Kobel and wife Magdalena Sophia
Leonhardt Kirstater	Johann Georg born May 3, 1787 bapt. July 8, 1789	Johann Georg Pfeiffer and wife Maria Magdalena
Konrad Nicolaus	Conrad born July 3, 1787 bapt. Aug. 5, 1787	Friederich Kobel and wife Magdalena Sophia
Michael Reitz	Anna Barbara born July 27, 1787 bapt. Aug. 6	Georg Leonard Reitz Anna Barbara Schnok(in)
Hann. Georg Pfeifer	Maria Elisabetha born Oct. 6 bapt. Oct. 29, 1787	Peter Furst and wife Maria Elisabetha
Johann Heim	Susanna born Oct. 27, 1787 bapt. Nov. 25, 1787	Jacob Stauch and wife Anna Catharina
Peter Heim	Maria Elisabeth born Sept. 11, 1787 bapt. Oct. 29, 1787	Wilhelm Heim and wife Elisabetha
Andreas Reitz	Maria Eva born Apr. 4, 1788 bapt. Apr. 6, 1788	Anna Maria Prosius(en)
Kristoph Dunckelberger	Peter born June 21, 1787 bapt. May 25, 1788	Johann Schweinhardt and wife Magdalena
Valentin Presch	Margaretha born May 19, 1788 bapt. June 9, 1788	Andreas Reitz and wife Margaretha
Wilhelm Heim	Elisabeth born Apr. 17, 1788 bapt. June 9, 1788	Andreas Emrich and wife Maria Magdal.
Peter Heim	Anna Christina born Sept. 16, 1788 bapt. Sept. 28, 1788	Mathias Heim Christina Meyern

Parents	Children	Sponsors
Peter Resseler wife Susanna	Samuel born Oct. 5 bapt. the 23th	Jo. Nicolaus Rebock wife Magtalena
Johannes Hase Catarina	Johannes born Nov. 29, 1797	Christophel Dunckelberger, Catarina Durck(in)
Christoph Birkhauss wife Gerthraut	Johannes born Apr. 5 bapt. June 11, 1797	Johannes Lahr Jr. Elisabeth Zartmann(in)
Michael Wolfgang Christina	Georg born Apr. 16, 1797	Georg Furst Barbara
? Lenhart Kerstetter Susanna	Maria Lisabeth born Jan. 22, 1797	Jacob Oschsenreiter Barbara
Joh. Maurer Elisabeth	Catharina born Dec. 19, 1797	Jacob Schmidt Elisabeth
Simon Scherman wife Greta	Eva Catarina born June 25, 1797 bapt. July 16	Eva Leitern
Gottfried Tommas Anna Maria	Michael born June 2, 1797 bapt. June 16	Michael Rebock Maria Gret.
Adam Rebock Maria	Frieterich born June 8, 1799 [sic] bapt. July 16	Philip Haubt Anna Mari
Bennert Emrich Julianna	Maria Elisabeth born June 28, 1797 bapt. Aug. 13	Peter Schmidt Maria Elisabeth
Joh. Orendorff Elis. Ochsenriter(?)	Christian born July 30, 1797	Jacob Ochsenreiter
Matheis Heim Mar. Magdalena	Johan Philip born Aug. 22, 1797 bapt. Sept. 10	Joh. Philip Rith
Joh. Schaffer Margretha	Eva born Sept. 30, 1797 bapt. Oct. 8	Michael Schaffer Apalona

Parents	Children	Sponsors
Peter Klock	Peter born Dec. 20, 1798 bapt. May 23, 1799	Peter Klock and wife Margareth
Michael Roth	Maria Susanna born May 26, 1799 bapt. Jun. 9, 1799	Michael Roth wife Susanna
Georg Pfeiffer	Maria Catharina born May 14, 1799 bapt. June 9,	Henerich Miniam wife Maria Chatarina
Johannes Strohschneider	daughter born May 10, 1799 bapt. Jun. 9, 1799	Philip Bohrel wife Ana Maria
Christian Furster	Maria Magtalena born Jun. 17, 1799 bapt. July 21, 1799	Georg Pfeiffer and Magtalena, wife
Lehnhart Kersteter	Johannes born Dec. 6, 1798 bapt. July 21, 1799	Samuel Trescher and wife Maria
Antres Geist	Ana Margereta born July 18, 1799 bapt. Sept.1, 1799	Michael Wagner and wife Barbara
Christian Tomas	Maria Salena born Aug. 5, 1799 bapt. Sept. 1, 1799	Eva Maria Tomas(in) widow
Georg Delb	Christina born Aug. 3, 1799 bapt. Sept. 1, 1799	Jacob Schneider and Catharina Brosius(in) single
Andreas Reitz	Lidia born Sept. 13, 1799 bapt. Sept. 22, 1799	Maria Elisabeth Reitz(in) single
Jacob Reinerd wife Elisabeth	Karl born Sept. 9 bapt. Oct. 27, 1799	Daniel Maurer wife Regina
Johannes Wagner wife Ana Margareth	G. Calolus born Oct. 20, 1799 bapt. Dec. 1, 1799	Michael Wagner wife Babarry

Parents	Children	Sponsors
Nicolaus Hatrich	Christina born Feb. 8, 1801 bapt. Apr. 12, 1801	Andres Geist and wife Christina
Nicolaus Brosius	Gottfried born Mar. 19, 1801 bapt. Apr. 12, 1801	Jacob Schmit and wife Susanna
Daniel Toffÿ	Susanna born Mar. 25, 1801 bapt. Apr. 12, 1801	Philip Brollel and wife Ana Mari
Christoph Berckhaus	Maria Magtalena born Feb. 10, 1801 bapt. Apr. 12, 1801	Christian Furster wife Maria Barbara
Michael Rebock	Maria Barbara born Feb. 11, 1801 bapt. Apr. 12, 1801	Eva Maria Tomas(in) widow
Michael Paul	Chatarina born Oct. 20, 1800 bapt. Apr. 12, 1801	Adam Howerter and wife Catharina
Henerich Miniam	Christina born Jan. 28, 1801 bapt. Apr. 12, 1801	Georg Pfeiffer wife Magtalena
Andres Geist	Andres born Jan. 5, 1801 bapt. Apr. 12, 1801	Johannes Wagner and wife Margareth
Leonhart Kerstetter	Johan Philip born Sept. 25, 1800 bapt. Apr. 12, 1801	Philip Gerhart and wife Maria Catharina
Jacob Tomas	Sahra born Apr. 6, 1801 bapt. May 17, 1801	Catharina Erdman single
Nicolaus Brosius	Jonathan born May 1, 1801 bapt. May 31, 1801	Nicolaus Brosius and wife Ma--
Henerich Haupt	Anna born Jan. 16, 1801 bapt. May 31, 1801	Conrath Haupt and wife Maria

Parents	Children	Sponsors
Johannes Maurer	Daniel born Apr. 15, 1802 bapt. the 25th, 1801(SIC)	Georg Kembel and wife Matlehna
Abraham Brosius	son born Jan. 6, 1803 bapt. Feb. 27, 1803	Jacob Tomas wife Cathrina
Nicolaus Hetterich	Michael born Jan. 22, 1803 bapt. Feb. 27	Peter Hettrich, Mari Elis.
Matheus Heim	Lidia born Jun. 18 bapt. Jun. 26	Philip Hetterich
Petrus Hetterich Mari Elisabeth	Jacob born Jun. 14 bapt. Jun. 26	Lehnhart Reitz Mary
Leonhart Kerstatter and wife Susanna	Georg born Apr. 22, 1802 bapt. July 11, 1802	Atham Howarter and wife Chatarina
Johannes Wahry and wife Susana	Elisabeth born Mar. 2, 1802 bapt. July 11, 1802	Magtalena Weris(in) single
Peter Klock and wife	Elisabeth born May 3, 1802 bapt. July 11, 1802	Jacob Klock and wife Elisabeth
Jacob Oesterleine Catharina	Hanna born Jul. 23, 1802	Christian Leibner Elisabeth
Adam Hein Margretha	Johannes born Jun. 28, 1802	Johannes Diel Catharina
Michael Druckenmiller Barba ra	David born Jul. 27, 1802	Valentin Dr'miller Salome
Nicolaus Hetrich wife Maria	Rosina Sept. 19, 1802	Wilhelm Heim Chatarina Trendels(in)
Daniel Dopfi Maria Barbara	Daniel Sept. 21, 1802	Philip Rauchkolb Maria Reitz

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	Acres.	Date of Survey.
Cox, John, Esq.,	305	April 23, 1789.
Cox, John, Esq.,	315	April 23, 1789.
Cox, John, Esq.,	310	April 23, 1789.
Conrad, Jacob,	150	June 10, 1789.
Coates, William,	100	Nov. 3, 1789.
Cenas, Casper,	145	Nov. 3, 1789.
Culbertson, Andrew,	200	Nov. 3, 1789.
Cearlin, John,	307	Nov. 27, 1789.
Clark, John,	206.70	Feb. 11, 1790.
Cairns, Robt., & Jno. McGowan,	201.30	April 15, 1790.
Conrad, Nicholas,	50	Aug. 13, 1790.
Cox, Cornelius,	244	Sept. 24, 1790.
Clark, Robert,	125	Jan. 12, 1791.
Clark, Andrew,	156¼	Feb. 9, 1791.
Correy, John,	150	March 10, 1791.
Correy, John,	50	March 11, 1791.
Clark, Robert,	26	May 2, 1791.
Coughran, John,	270	May 5, 1791.
Clark, Walter,	200	May 26, 1791.
Cook, William, Esq.,	214¼	Aug. 5, 1791.
Coates, Linsay,	150	Nov. 1, 1791.
Capp, John,	300	April 6, 1792.
Coxe, John R.,	400	April 9, 1792.
Carpenter, Joseph,	100	April 11, 1792.
Collins, James,	400	April 17, 1792.
Castater, Fred'k,	400	April 27, 1792.
Craig, James,	400	April 27, 1792.
Castater, Joseph,	400	April 27, 1792.
Cathcart, William,	400	April 27, 1792.
Comley, William,	400	April 27, 1792.
Comley, Robert,	400	April 27, 1792.
Craig, Thomas,	400	April 27, 1792.
Cooley, Henry,	400	April 27, 1792.
Castater, George,	400	April 27, 1792.
Coursey, Roger,	400	April 27, 1792.
Cooley, Samuel,	400	April 27, 1792.
Cooley, Joshua,	400	April 27, 1792.
Castater, Harmon,	400	April 27, 1792.
Clingman, Jacob,	100	May 1, 1792.
Carpenter, Sarah,	400	May 23, 1792.
Carpenter, Joseph,	400	May 23, 1792.
Calahan, Patrick,	66	May 26, 1792.
Clark, William,	80	May 29, 1792.
Clark, William,	200	May 29, 1792.

	Acres.	Date of Survey.
Clark, William,	20	May 29, 1792.
Childs, John,	300	May 29, 1792.
Chew, Benj'n, Jr.,	400	June 13, 1792.
Chew, Benj'n, Sen'r,	400	June 13, 1792.
Caldwell, David,	400	June 13, 1792.
Cornelison, William,	75	June 15, 1792.
Cornelison, Mary,	75	June 15, 1792.
Cook, Ebenezer,	400	June 16, 1792.
Corson, Christian,	400	June 21, 1792.
Chapman, Andrew,	400	Juyl 3, 1792.
Chapman, Peter,	400	Juyl 3, 1792.
Corson, Cornelius,	400	July 21, 1792.
Corson, Elizabeth,	400	July 21, 1792.
Corson, Jemima,	400	July 21, 1792.
Carson, Alexander,	400	July 21, 1792.
Crook, Jacob,	400	July 21, 1792.
Cowden, John,	400	July 21, 1792.
Capp, John,	400	July 24, 1792.
Carson, Andrew,	400	July 24, 1792.
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Cowden, John,	400	July 24, 1792.
Cook, John,	400	July 30, 1792.
Chancellor, William,	**400**	**July 30, 1792.**
Cox, Paul,	400	July 31, 1792.
Conyngham, David H.,	400	July 31, 1792.
Cohen, Solomon Myers,	360	Aug. 6, 1792.
Cook, Jonathan,	150	Aug. 21, 1792.
Cook, Ebenezer,	200	Aug. 21, 1792.
Conrad, John,	50	Sept. 12, 1792.
Carson, Andrew,	200	Sept. 13, 1792.
Carpenter, Samuel,	200	Sept. 22, 1792.
Cook, Stephen,	400	Sept. 24, 1792.
Cooper, George,	40	Sept. 27, 1792.
Clayton, Thomas,	125	Sept. 28, 1792.
Cole, Ezekiel,	60	Oct. 1, 1792.
Coples, Margaret,	100	Oct. 15, 1792.
Cheston, Thos. E.,	200	Oct. 16, 1792.
Coleburn, Sylvester,	80	Oct. 24, 1792.
Conrad, Jacob,	150	Nov. 22, 1792.
Carpenter, John,	150	Nov. 27, 1792.
Clock, Jacob,	100	Nov. 29, 1792.
Carson, John,	300	Nov. 30, 1792.
Cross, Reuben,	400	Dec. 14, 1792.

	Acres.	Date of Survey.
Kreal, Mich'l, & Jacob Bear, ...	100	July 30, 1774.
Keiser, George (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 234.	Aug. 19, 1774.
Kercher, Ludwig, ...	300	Aug. 29, 1774.
Kauff, Philip, ...	50	Sept. 15, 1774.
Kauff, Philip, ...	100	Sept. 15, 1774.
Karcher, Ludwig, ...	250	Oct. 25, 1774.
Kesteter, Martin, ...	100	Nov. 29, 1774.
Krehl, Michael, ...	...	Nov. 29, 1774.
Kelley, Matthew, ...	...	Dec. 1, 1774.
Kelley, William, ...	300	Dec. 12, 1774.
Keyser, George (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 233.	Dec. 21, 1774.
Karcher, Ludwig, ...	300	Jan. 3, 1775.
Keble, John (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 47.	Jan. 4, 1775.
Keble, John, ...	150	Jan. 4, 1775.
Krevass, Sebastian (Sunbury),.	Lot No. 89.	Jan. 30, 1775.
Kauff, Philip, alias Courf (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 302.	Feb. 14, 1775.
Kaderman, David, ...	200	March 30, 1775.
Kriger, Henry, ...	50	April 6, 1775.
Krause, David, ...	200	April 19, 1775.
Kersteter, Martin, ...	100	April 26, 1775.
Keller, Henry, ...	200	April 26, 1775.
Keble, John, ...	150	Feb. 7, 1776.
Kleinsmith, Battes, ...	300	Feb. 21, 1776.
Keiser, George (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 241.	Feb. 23, 1776.
Keiser, George (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 242.	Feb. 23, 1776.
Keiser, George (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 256.	Feb. 23, 1776.
Kass, Lodowick (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 104.	March 20, 1776.
Kass, Lodowick (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 105.	March 20, 1776.
Karcher, Ludowick, ...	300	March 21, 1776.
King, William, ...	200	April 10, 1776.
Karcher, Ludwig, ...	250	April 22, 1776.
Keiser, George (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 229.	Sept. 16, 1776.
Keene, Lawrence, ...	308	Jan. 5, 1784.
Karcher, Ludowick, & Adam Guyer, ...	350	May 29, 1784.
Karcher, Ludowick, & Adam Guyer, ...	377	May 29, 1784.
Karcher, Ludowick, & Adam Guyer, ...	315	May 29, 1784.
Kelly, William, ...	400	July 1, 1784.
Kelly, John, Sen'r, ...	400	July 1, 1784.
Kelly, John, Jr., ...	400	July 1, 1784.
Kain, John, ...	400	July 1, 1784.
King, Robert, ...	300	July 1, 1784.

	Acres.	Date of Survey.
Kitts, George, ...	300	July 1, 1784.
Keene, Lawrence, ...	300	July 1, 1784
Kennedy, Anthony, ...	300	July 1, 1784.
Kennedy, Andrew, ...	300	July 1, 1784.
King, Robert, ...	400	July 1, 1784.
Kerr, John, ...	300	July 1, 1784.
Kerlin, Peter, ...	150	July 1, 1784.
King, William, ...	400	July 1, 1784.
Knight, Peter, ...	400	July 2, 1784.
Kern, Anthony, ...	400	July 2, 1784.
Knight, John, Sen'r, ...	400	July 8, 1784.
Knight, John, Jr., ...	400	July 8, 1784.
Kinnan, William, ...	400	July 8, 1784
Kaighn, John, ...	400	July 8, 1784.
Knorr, John, ...	300	Aug. 2, 1784.
Kunckle, John, ...	400	Aug. 24, 1784.
Kean, John, ...	400	Aug. 31, 1784.
Kline, George, ...	400	Oct. 26, 1784.
Kennedy, Ann, ...	400	Oct. 26, 1784.
Kester, Peter, Jr., ...	200	Nov. 1, 1784.
Kerr, Thomas, ...	200	Dec. 11, 1784.
Kline, John, ...	400	Dec. 17, 1784.
Kline, John, Jr., ...	400	Dec. 17, 1784.
Karcher, Ludwig, ...	400	Dec. 17, 1784.
Kimmel, Anthony, ...	200	Jan. 13, 1785.
Karcher, Mary, ...	400	Jan. 17, 1785.
Kennedy, Alexander, ...	100	Feb. 17, 1785.
King, Robert, ...	400	Feb. 22, 1785.
Keen, Reynold, ...	249.46	April 29, 1785.
Keen, Reynold, ...	192.129	April 29, 1785.
Keen, Reynold, ...	242.81	April 29, 1785.
Kerstatter, Martin, ...	150	April 30, 1785.
Kelly, John, Esq., ...	327	May 21, 1785.
Kerr, Cornelius, ...	400	June 4, 1785.
Kerr, George, Henry, ...	400	June 4, 1785.
Kerr, Adolphus, ...	400	June 4, 1785.
Kerr, Casper, ...	400	June 4, 1785.
Kinkead, And'w, in trust, ...	300	June 20, 1785.
King, Adam, ...	300	Aug. 19, 1785.
King, John, ...	300	Aug. 19, 1785.
Karcher, Lewis, ...	300	Aug. 27, 1785.
Kyle, Jas., Jr., & Wm. Wylie,...	300	Oct. 20, 1785.
Kyle, James, ...	200	Oct. 25, 1785.
Kempleton, Mary, in trust, ...	267	Oct. 26, 1785.

	Acres.	Date of Survey.
Kuhns, Frederick,	100	Nov. 15, 1785.
Kuhns, Frederick,	100	Nov. 15, 1785.
Kuhns, Frederick,	100	Nov. 15, 1785.
Kline, Christopher,	50	Dec. 8, 1785.
Kuhns, Frederick, & Nicholas Kuhns, Jr.,	200	Jan. 4, 1786.
Kuhns, Nich'ls, Sen., & Fred. Kuhns,	300	Jan. 12, 1786.
Kuhns, Nich'ls, Sen., & Fred. Kuhns,	200	Jan. 12, 1786.
Kuhns, Nich's, & Fred'k Kuhns,	100	Jan. 26, 1786.
Koons, Theobald,	160	March 27, 1786.
Koechlin, Lewis,	362	April 5, 1786.
Krug, Jacob,	300	May 10, 1786.
Kester, George,	100	June 14, 1786.
Knox, William,	400	July 18, 1786.
Kline, Peter,	300	Nov. 2, 1786.
Kaldenbach, Andrew,	206	Nov. 8, 1786.
Kryder, Abraham,	400	Dec. 12, 1786.
Kryder, Conrad, Jr.,	400	Dec. 12, 1786.
Kryder, Conrad, Sen'r,	400	Dec. 12, 1786.
Kryder, Michael,	400	Dec. 12, 1786.
Kitter, Christopher,	400	Dec. 15, 1786.
Koch, John Adam,	150	March 5, 1787.
Keen, Lawrence, Esq.,	300	July 17, 1787.
Kegey, Isaac,	400	July 23, 1787.
Keene, Reynold,	400	July 27, 1787.
Keehn, Peter,	400	July 27, 1787.
Kenly, William,	400	July 27, 1787.
Kremer, Philip, Esq.,	336¾	Sept. 5, 1788.
Keen, Lawrence, Esq.,	100	Oct. 20, 1788.
Kern, Jost,	50	Oct. 23, 1788.
Kern, Jost,	60	June 3, 1789.
Kern, Jost,	150	June 3, 1789.
King, William,	293¾	July 3, 1789.
Kennedy, David, Esq.,	226.155	July 25, 1789.
Kelly, John, Esq.,	303.127	Feb. 8, 1790.
Kinsey, Joshua,	100	April 9, 1790.
Kimerling, Jacob,	40	June 24, 1790.
Kerr, David, & Ludwig Row,	200	April 26, 1791.
Kersteter, Martin,	150	May 5, 1791.
Kelly, James,	50	May 11, 1791.
Kline, Hermann,	150	Jan. 6, 1792.
Kuhn, Peter,	400	April 27, 1792.

	Acres.	Date of Survey.
Kenley, William,	400	April 27, 1792.
Kunckle, John, Jr.,	400	April 30, 1792.
Kunckle, Sarah,	400	May 30, 1792.
Kline, Elizabeth,	400	June 13, 1792.
Koch, Daniel,	100	June 19, 1792.
Kid, John,	400	July 21, 1792.
Kamerer, Henry,	400	July 30, 1792.
Kerwan, Wm. D.,	400	July 31, 1792.
Kersteter, Martin,	25	Aug. 2, 1792.
Kline, Abraham,	100	Sept. 24, 1792.
Kersteter, John,	40	Sept. 26, 1792.
Koffman, Leonard,	80	Oct. 26, 1792.
Koffman, Leonard,	20	Oct. 26, 1792.
Koch, Daniel,	60	Nov. 7, 1792.
Kelly, John, Jr.,	60	Nov. 19, 1792.
Kidd, John,	400	Dec. 17, 1792.
Kuhn, Frederick,	400	Dec. 17, 1792.
Kloninger, Philip,	400	Dec. 17, 1792.
Krug, Jacob,	400	Dec. 17, 1792.
Keel, Peter,	20	Dec. 19, 1792.
Kline, Mathias, & Thos. Robins,	230	Dec. 19, 1792.
Kline, Ab'm & Herman,	350	Dec. 19, 1792.
Krug, Jacob,	400	Dec. 24, 1792.
Kid, John,	400	Dec. 24, 1792.
Kumer, George,	100	Dec. 24, 1792.
Kingston, Stephen,	400	Dec. 24, 1792.
Kirwan, Wm. D.,	400	Dec. 24, 1792.
Kline, Philip,	200	Dec. 31, 1792.
Kirwan, Wm. D.,	400	Jan. 3, 1793.
Kunckle, John,	66	Jan. 9, 1793.
Kemp, George,	400	Jan. 15, 1793.
Kemp, Daniel,	400	Jan. 15, 1793.
Kelly, John, Esq.,	400	Jan. 19, 1793.
Kelly, Andrew,	150	Jan. 19, 1793.
Kelly, James,	25	Jan. 19, 1793.
Kirk, Isaac,	400	Jan. 24, 1793.
Krool, Michael,	200	Jan. 31, 1793.
Kidd, John,	400	Feb. 20, 1793.
King, John,	400	Feb. 26, 1793.
Knox, John,	400	Feb. 26, 1793.
King, Simon,	400	Feb. 26, 1793.
Knox, James,	400	Feb. 26, 1793.
Knox, Samuel,	400	Feb. 26, 1793.
King, Samuel,	400	Feb. 26, 1793.

	Acres.	Date of Survey.
Knox, David,	400	Feb. 26, 1793.
Kidd, John,	400	March 4, 1793.
Kunckel, John,	400	March 5, 1793.
Kintzing, Ab'm, Jr.,	400	March 11, 1793.
King, Ezekiel,	400	March 11, 1793.
Kilday, William,	400	March 15, 1793.
Kelly, Lawrence,	400	March 15, 1793.
Kelly, John,	400	March 15, 1793.
Kuhn, Adam,	400	March 22, 1793.
Kuhn, Peter,	400	March 22, 1793.
Kidd, John, Esq.,	400	March 23, 1793.
Kintzing, Ab'm, Jr.,	400	March 23, 1793.
King, Ezekiel,	400	March 23, 1793.
Kersteter, Leonard, Jr., in trust,	50	March 27, 1793.
Kunckel, John,	400	March 27, 1793.
Kersteter, Leonard, Jr., in trust,	100	March 27, 1793.
Kemp, George,	300	March 28, 1793.
Kemp, Daniel,	300	March 28, 1793.
Kraster, Philip,	30	April 10, 1793.
Keeler, John,	400	April 22, 1793.
Kidd, John,	150	April 23, 1793.
Kintzing, Ab'm, Jr.,	400	April 25, 1793.
King, Ezekiel,	400	April 25, 1793.
Kern, John,	200	April 30, 1793.
Kidd, John,	400	May 2, 1793.
King, Ezekiel,	200	May 16, 1793.
Kersteter, Leonard,	200	May 22, 1793.
Kersteter, Leonard,	40	May 22, 1793.
Kennedy, Andrew,	400	June 13, 1793.
Keble, John,	400	June 21, 1793.
Kidd, John,	400	June 27, 1793.
Kidd, John,	400	July 6, 1793.
Kern, Michael,	400	July 12, 1793.
Kimble, Lawrence,	400	July 16, 1793.
Kennedy, Andrew,	400	July 16, 1793.
Kimble, Adam,	400	July 16, 1793.
Kunsman, Daniel,	400	July 24, 1793.
Kendrick, Martin,	400	Aug. 10, 1793.
Kendrick, Jacob,	400	Aug. 10, 1793.
Kendrick, John,	400	Aug. 10, 1793.
Kline, Abraham,	120	Aug. 28, 1793.
Kutz, Peter,	400	Nov. 18, 1793.
Kutz, Catherine,	400	Nov. 18, 1793.
Klinger, Jeremiah,	400	Nov. 18, 1793

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Kinnear, Robert,	400	Nov. 18, 1793.
Keriher, Daniel,	400	Nov. 18, 1793.
Kidd, John,	400	Nov. 20, 1793.
Kennedy, David,	400	Nov. 26, 1793.
Kelso, Rebecca,	400	Nov. 26, 1793.
Kelso, Joseph,	400	Nov. 26, 1793.
Kitchen, Thomas, & Jane Owen,	350	Nov. 28, 1793.
Kidd, John,	400	Dec. 5, 1793.
Kidd, John, Esq.,	400	Dec. 13, 1793.
Kennedy, Philip,	100	Dec. 13, 1793.
Kunckel, John,	150	Dec. 30, 1793.
Kunckel, Mary,	50	Jan. 7, 1794.
Kunckel, John,	50	Jan. 7, 1794.
Kennedy, Andrew,	400	Jan. 10, 1794.
Keeler, John,	400	Jan. 14, 1794.
Keeler, Thomas,	80	Jan. 14, 1794.
Kidd, John,	400	Jan. 20, 1794.
Kitely, Isaac,	400	Jan. 21, 1794.
King, Ezekiel,	400	Jan. 31, 1794.
Kidd, John, Esq.,	400	Jan. 31, 1794.
Kennedy, Andrew,	400	Jan. 31, 1794.
Kingin, James,	400	Jan. 31, 1794.
Kuhl, Simon,	400	Jan. 31, 1794.
Kuhl, William,	400	Jan. 31, 1794.
Kean, Reynold,	400	Feb. 1, 1794.
Kennedy, Andrew,	400	Feb. 4, 1794.
Klinger, John,	400	Feb. 6, 1794.
Kunckel, Mary,	400	Feb. 14, 1794.
Ker, Joseph,	400	Feb. 17, 1794.
Keely, Mathias,	400	Feb. 17, 1794.
Kesteter, George,	400	Feb. 22, 1794.
Kelly, John,	400	March 10, 1794.
Kidd, John,	400	March 11, 1794.
Knox, Ceaser,	400	March 15, 1794.
Knox, Amasa,	400	March 15, 1794.
Klein, Jacob,	400	March 15, 1794.
Knox, Augustus,	400	March 15, 1794.
Kuhn, Daniel,	400	March 15, 1794.
Krebs, Philip,	400	March 15, 1794.
Kuhn, Martin,	400	March 15, 1794.
Kuhn, Philip,	400	March 15, 1794.
Kuhn, Jacob,	400	March 15, 1794.
Krebs, Peter,	400	March 15, 1794.
Krebs, Michael,	400	March 15, 1794.

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Kitts, George,	400	March 15, 1794.
King, John,	400	March 15, 1794.
King, Samuel,	400	March 15, 1794.
King, Amos,	400	March 15, 1794.
King, Titus,	400	March 15, 1794.
Knox, Francis,	400	March 15, 1794.
Knox, Henry,	400	March 15, 1794.
Knox, John,	400	March 15, 1794.
Klein, John,	400	March 15, 1794.
Knox, William,	400	March 15, 1794.
Klein, Peter,	400	March 15, 1794.
Klein, Philip,	400	March 15, 1794.
Karcher, Ludwig,	400	March 15, 1794.
Kitts, Jacob,	400	March 15, 1794.
Klein, Henry,	400	March 15, 1794.
Kitts, Michael,	400	March 15, 1794.
Kitts, John,	400	March 15, 1794.
Karcher, Jacob,	400	March 15, 1794.
Katterman, Philip,	80	March 22, 1794.
Kennedy, James,	400	March 26, 1794.
Kennedy, Andrew,	400	March 26, 1794.
Kidd, John,	400	March 28, 1794.
Katterman, Philip,	15	March 27, 1794.
Kidd, John,	400	March 31, 1794.
Kerley, Standly, Jr.,	400	April 1, 1794.
Kontner, Adam,	400	April 1, 1794.
Kerby, David,	400	April 1, 1794.
Kerby, Standly,	400	April 1, 1794.
Kontner, Michael,	400	April 1, 1794.
Kontner, John,	400	April 1, 1794.
Kerby, Thomas,	400	April 1, 1794.
King, Ezekiel,	250	April 2, 1794.
Kitts, George,	300	April 7, 1794.
Kriter, Joseph,	400	April 12, 1794.
Kriter, Jacob,	400	April 12, 1794.
Kriter, Henry,	400	April 12, 1794.
Kriter, David,	400	April 12, 1794.
Kremer, George,	120	May 2, 1794.
King, Ezekiel,	300	May 19, 1794.
Keppele, Michael,	400	Aug. 6, 1794.
Keppele, Henry,	400	Aug. 6, 1794.
King, Ezekiel,	140	Aug. 13, 1794.
Kunckel, John,	50	Aug. 14, 1794.
Kitlinger, Abram,	400	Aug. 16, 1794.

	Acres.	Date of Survey.
Kremer, George,	50	Sept. 4, 1794.
Kunckle, John,	100	Sept. 10, 1794.
Kremer, George,	400	Dec. 31, 1794.
Kerstetter, Martin,	50	Feb. 26, 1795.
Kerstetter, Sebastian,	158.16	April 14, 1795.
Kelly, John, Jr.,	250	June 10, 1796.
Kirk, Wm. & James,	320	Nov. 22, 1796.
Kratzer, Daniel,	246.60	Feb. 24, 1797.
Kline, Frederick,	120	April 24, 1797.
Kline, Jacob,	60	April 24, 1797.
Krebill, John,	80	May 12, 1800.
Kersteder, George,	30	May 8, 1801.
Kindall, Joseph,	228.16	Sept. 26, 1801.
Kline, Abraham,	346.45	Nov. 5, 1801.
Kuhn, Conrad,	40	Nov. 10, 1801.
Kauble, Adam,	155	March 12, 1802.
Keill, Peter,	200	April 6, 1802.
Kealor, George,	...	April 21, 1802.
Krause, John,	60	Aug. 11, 1802.
Kerstetter, Leonard,	134	May 15, 1805.
Kuntz, Michael,	10	Nov. 28, 1807.
Knepp, George,	50	April 12, 1809.
Keffer, Martin,	...	March 1, 1810.
Klee, Frederick,	...	March 27, 1810.
Kern, Jacob,	40	June 11, 1810.
Kerstetter, George,	29	Aug. 25, 1810.
Keffer, John,	20	Jan. 7, 1811.
Katterman, Michael,	400	Feb. 11, 1811.
Kratzer, Ludwig,	347.65	Feb. 20, 1811.
Kemple, George,	87	April 11, 1811.
Kauble, Abraham,	45	June 17, 1811.
Kreck, Jacob, Jr.,	82	July 26, 1811.
Kauffman, David,	58.42	Jan. 28, 1812.
Kline, Isaac,	306.86	April 17, 1812.
Krauble, Christian,	100	May 11, 1812.
Klein, Nicholas,	350	May 13, 1813.
Kinney, James,	68	Aug. 17, 1813.
Kerr, Joseph,	20	Sept. 2, 1813.
Kaufman, Leonard,	20	Jan. 5, 1814.
Kashbaum, John, & Henry Reed,	189	June 15, 1814.
Kepler, John,	30	Aug. 2, 1814.
Kepler, John,	8	Aug. 15, 1814.
Kepler, John,	10	Aug. 15, 1814.

	Acres.	Date of Survey.	
Kepler, John, ...	10	Sept.	24, 1814.
Kepler, John, ...	11	Sept.	24, 1814.
Kepler, John, ...	30	Oct.	4, 1814.
Kepler, John, ...	75	Dec.	28, 1814.
Kepler, John, ...	1.2	May	3, 1815.
Krehl, Michael, ...	1.146	May	3, 1815.
Krehl, Michael, ...	2.83	May	3, 1815.
Krehl, Michael, ...	2.54	May	3, 1815.
Krehl, Michael, ...	144	May	3, 1815.
Kaler, Abraham, ...	31.16	Sept.	19, 1815.
Keffer, John, ...	3	March	23, 1818.
Keffer, John, ...	4.117	Sept.	7, 1818.
Kaufman, Leonard, ...	14	Feb.	20, 1819.
Keefer, George, ...	30	June	26, 1819.
Kissinger, Abraham, ...	8	Dec.	7, 1820.
Kehr, Jacob, ...	141.8	Feb.	6, 1822.
Kner, John, ...	225	Oct.	26, 1826.
Kreiligh, Adam, ...	100	March	16, 1827.
Knerr, Andrew, ...	5	July	3, 1827.
Kerstetter, George, ...		March	28, 1828.
Kerstetter, John, ...		March	28, 1828.
Kase, John, ...	5½	Nov.	13, 1828.
Kiehl, George W., ...	16	Dec.	31, 1828.
Klock, Peter, ...	5	Jan.	6, 1829.
Kline, Jacob, ...	150	Nov.	9, 1829.
Kline, Peter, ...	150	Nov.	9, 1829.
Keely, Joshua, ...	5	Dec.	21, 1829.
Keely, Joshua, ...	50	Dec.	21, 1829.
Kiehl, Abraham, ...	350	Jan.	1, 1830.
Kimmel, Samuel, ...	300	Jan.	9, 1830.
Kuntzleman, John, Jr., ...	100	Jan.	25, 1830.
Kerstetter, Leonard, ...	125	June	1, 1830.
Keffer, Peter, ...	168½	Aug.	5, 1831.
Kremer, John, ...	2	April	4, 1834.
Klock, John, ...	20	April	3, 1849.
Knoebel, Hartman H., ...	20½	Aug.	29, 1849.
Kline, Isaac, Jr., ...	15	June	8, 1852.
Kramer & Hetrick, ...	1.89	Feb.	9, 1860.
Kramer, Joel, ...	14	March	22, 1881.
Kerstetter, Joel, ...	16.85	March	28, 1882.
Lewis, Samuel, ...	300	Sept.	11, 1772.
Lugar, John, ...	100	Nov.	16, 1772.
Loyar, Adam, ...	100	Nov.	27, 1772.
Lower, Henry, ...	25	Nov.	25, 1772.

	Acres.	Date of Survey.	
Lockert, Joseph, ...	300	Dec.	14, 1772.
Little, John, ...	150	Dec.	21, 1772.
Lucken, John, ...	300	Dec.	28, 1772.
Lepley, Michael, ...	50	Dec.	30, 1772.
Leman, Thos., Esq. (Sunbury),..	Lot No. 151.	Jan.	2, 1773.
Lukens, Judah (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 54.	Jan.	2, 1773.
Lukens, Jesse (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 66.	Jan.	2, 1773.
Lukens, John, Esq. (Sunbury),..	Lot No. 53.	Jan.	2, 1773.
Lukens, Charles, Esq. (Sunbury), ...	Lot No. 52.	Jan.	2, 1773.
Lukens, Jesse, Esq., Sunbury, ..	Lot No. 2.	Jan.	2, 1773.
Lownes, William, ...	300	Jan.	5, 1773.
Liewiner, Fred'k Fra's, ...	300	Jan.	6, 1773.
Lowdon, Richard, ...	250	Jan.	8, 1773.
Longstreath, Benj'n, ...	200	Jan.	8, 1773.
Lowdon, John, ...	100	Jan.	8, 1773.
Lowdon, John, ...	200	Jan.	8, 1773.
Luckenbeel, Jacob, ...	50	Jan.	14, 1773.
Lukens, James, Esq., ...	300	Jan.	22, 1773.
Lefever, John, ...	50	Feb.	2, 1773.
Leffler, Godliep, ...	5	Feb.	9, 1773.
Leffler, Godliep, ...	25	Feb.	10, 1773.
Leffler, Geo. Lewis, ...	280	Feb.	11, 1773.
Latimer, James, ...	75	Fab.	23, 1773.
Lyon, Charles, ...	300	May	10, 1773.
Leddon, Abraham, ...	300	June	5, 1773.
Lugar, John, ...	200	June	9, 1773.
Lehman, Christian, ...	300	June	9, 1773.
Lawman, Ludwig, ...	300	June	22, 1773.
Lewis, William, ...	300	June	25, 1773.
Levan, Daniel, Jr., ...	150	July	8, 1773.
Levan, Daniel, ...	100	July	8, 1773.
Leas, William, ...	300	July	9, 1773.
Lukens, Jesse, ...	50	July	20, 1773.
Lawrence, William, ...	300	Aug.	5, 1773.
Lesher, Francis, ...	300	Aug.	5, 1773.
Lyons, William, ...	300	Aug.	5, 1773.
Lefler, Godliep, ...	100	Aug.	6, 1773.
Lenox, William, ...	300	Aug.	6, 1773.
Lawrence, William, ...	300	Aug.	6, 1773.
Lincoln, Mordecai, ...	150	Aug.	7, 1773.
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GEORGE KERSTETTER'S PENSION DECLARATION

On June 2, 1818, Before me the subscriber, one of the associate Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Union County in said district, Personally appeared George Kerstetter, aged sixty years, resident of Union County, aforesaid, being by me first duly Sworn according to Law, doth on his oath make the following declaration, in order to obtain the provisions made by the late act of Congress entitled, "an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the U.S. in the revolutionary War." That the said George Kerstetter enlisted in Philadelphia, in the state of Penna. in the year 1775, in the company commanded by Captain Burkhart and afterwards came in Captain Boyer's company commanded by Colonel Nicholas Hussecker in this German Regiment and afterwards commanded by Colonel Lewis Weltner in the Penna. line, that he continued in the service of the U.S. until the end of the war, when he was discharged from the service of the U.S. in the Town of Northumberland, in Northumberland County, Penna. That he was in the Battles of, at the taking of the Hessians at Trenton, Brandywine, Germantown, Monmouth, at the storming of Stony Point by General Wayne, and at the expedition against the Indians by General Sullivan at Newtown, &c. That he is in reduced circumstances and stands in need of the assistance of his country for support; and has lost his discharge and has no other evidence new in his power of his said services--- George Kerstetter

Sworn to and declared before me the day and year, aforesaid, Bolander.

I, John Bolander, one of the associate judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Union County and State of Penna. District, do certify, that it appears to my satisfaction that the said George Kerstetter did serve in the Revolutionary War, as stated in the proceeding declaration, against the common enemy, and I now transmit the proceedings and testimony taken and ad before me, to the Secretary of the department of War, pursuant to the directions of the aforementioned act of Congress. Bolender.

Union County Court, Personally appeared before John Bolender, Esquire, one of the judges of the Court of Common Pleas, Union County, aforesaid, Philip Neitz and John Kerstetter, who, on their solemn oath according to law, depose and say, that they are well acquainted with George Kerstetter, the applicant mentioned in the foregoing Certificate and knew him in the Revolutionary War and knew to their certain knowledge that he Inlisted in the Continental Service and remained in the service till after the expedition by General Sulivan against the Indians upwards of four years. Philip Neitz, John Kerstetter Sworn and subscribed by law, May 27, 1819, John Bolender.

District of Pennsylvania, Union County,ss. On the twentieth day of December, A.D, one thousand eight hundred twenty, Personally appeared in open court of Common Pleas of the County, aforesaid, being a Court of Record, and having Common Law Jurisdiction, unlimited in amount, and keeping a Record of its proceedings, expressly made a Court of Record by act of Assembly, George Kerstetter, aged about sixty-four years, resident in said county, who, being duly Sworn according to law, doth in his oath declare that he enlisted in the city of Philadelphia in the state of Penna. in the company commanded by Captain Daniel Burkhart in the regiment commanded by Colonel Husecker and remained in the service of the U.S. about four years, and that he made his original application on the second day of June, 1818, and that he received his pension, his certificate is numbered 15460 and dated 25th of October, 1819, and that I was a resident citizen of theU.S. on the 18th of March, 1818, and that I have not since that time by gift, sale or in any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof, with intent thereby to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress, an Act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval Serive of the U.S. in the Revolutionary War, passed March 18, 1818, and that I have not, nor has any person in trust for me, any property, securities, contracts or debts due to me, nor have I any income other than what is contained in the schedule hereto

annexed, and by me Subscribed, and that I am by a occupation, a blacksmith, my wife's name is Elizabeth, aged 56, and have two of my children at home, Jacob aged 20 years, and Dorothy, aged 19 years, and that I am unable to support myself without the assistance of my country. George Kerstetter. Sworn and subscribed before me, in open court, Dec. 20, 1820, Simon Snyder, Jun'r, Prothy.

A list of property belonging to George Kerstetter 127 acres of land situate in Washington Township, in Union County, Pa. he paid 40 shillings for it per acre, of which purchase money there is 102 pounds yet due, of the value of one dollar; 71 acres adjoining the above land which the said Kerstetter took up, and for which an ejectment is brought against him for the same value at one dollar per acre.
2 horses-$40.00 1 Plough-$2.00 2 sheep- $2.00 1 cow-$9.00 1 waggon-$10.00 one stove -$14.00 1 bed-$6.00 2 hogs & 6 shoats-$5.50 sundries-$5.00

Liverpool, Perry County, Penna. Feb'y. 7, 1842 Dear Sir: By a letter from you to the Honorable John Snider I see a pension is granted to Hannah Brittan, will you be so good as to inform me how much money she at present draws, and where she is to draw it. Your printed sheet shows the kind of Bond that is necessary. George Casteder, a Revolutionary Soldier from Pa. who served as a militia man or enlisted soldier during the Revolutionary War drew a pension for a number of years and about 18 years ago his pension was stopped, he is extremely poor and would be glad to have his pension renewed with you, be so obliging, as to let me know why it was stopped, he is now (1842) blind and dependent on his poor relatives for a living, he was a brave man and was in many important battles during the Revolutionary War. His service can be fully established and his claim for a U.S. Pension is certainly just. By some frauds practiced on him at Washington he has been deprived of his just rights, please answer this letter and I will prepare his papers. Yours Respectifully, Tho. Gallahor.

A copy of a Church Record, in German, is here given, and very difficult, if not impossible to copy: State of Penna. Union County. On July 25, 1851, personally appeared before me William G. Herrold, a Justice of the Peace, in and for said county, Adam Nerhood, aged 62 years, resident of Chapman Township in said county, who, being first duly sworn according to law, doth depose and say, that he is the lawful Tresurer of Botshaft's Lutheran and Presbyterian Church, located in said Township, and that the above is a true copy in his own proper hand writing as they now remain on file in the said church book of record, now in his possession. Declarant further states, that he has lived neighbor to the said George and Elizabeth Kerstetter, from the year eighteen hundred fourteen up to the time of the decease of said George and Elizabeth, and that the above named Catharine and Solomon were the reputed lawful children of said George and Elizabeth Kerstetter. Sworn and subscribed on the day and year first above written, before me, W.G. Herrold, J.P. Adam Nerhood

State of Penna. Union County. On July 25, 1851, personally appeared before me, William G. Herrold, a Justice of the Peace in and for the said county, George Arnold, aged 48 years, a resident of Chapman Township, who, being first duly sworn according to law, doth depose and say, that he made a coffin for the body of Elizabeth Kerstetter, deceased, on December 5, 1850------- declarant states that said Elizabeth was the lawful widow of George Kerstetter, who was a Revolutionary soldier and pensioner of the U.S.--- as he believes--and that the said George and Elizabeth died leaving several children surviving them whose names are as follows, viz: Michael, Dolly Gilbert, Solomon, David, and Jacob Kerstetter. George Arnold. Sworn to and subscribed before me on the day and year above written. W.G. Herrold.

State of Penna., Union County. On December 24, 1851, in open Court of Common Pleas, held in and for said county, personally appeared David Kerstetter, aged----years, resident of Chapman Township, in said county of Union, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration, under acts of Congress passed June 17, 1844, and subsequent acts. This declarant states, that he is the lawful child of George Kerstetter, late of said county, who was a revolutionary war soldier (Pensioner) of the U.S. under the act of March 18, 1818, at the rate of $96 per annum and who died January 1, 1847. This declarant states, that he is the lawful child of Elizabeth Kerstetter, who was the lawful wife of aforesaid George Kerstetter. That the maiden name of this declarant's mother was Elizabeth SNYDER, that the said Elizabeth and George Kerstetter were lawfully married in Chapman Township, Union County, in 1785. That George and Elizabeth Kerstetter had several children born to them prior to 1794, two of whom were Michael and Catharine, and that Elizabeth Kerstetter died in the aforesaid Township, Dec. 5, 1850. This declarant further states that the said George and Elizabeth Kerstetter lived in lawful wedlock, as man and wife, from the time of their aforesaid marriage up to the period when he died and that after the death of George his said widow did not again marry but died being a widow.
That George and Elizabeth Kerstetter died leaving 6 children only surviving them, whose names are, viz: Michael, Solomon, Philip, David, and Jacob and Dolly Gilbert.
David Kerstetter.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, on the day & year first above written.
A.J._____, Pres. Judge.

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from, Early Friends Families of Upper Bucks County, Pa. by Roberts

I. CONRAD ZORN, came from Hamburg, Germany, in ship,"Neptune" which arrived at Philadelphia, Pa., 12/13/1754. He settled in Bristol Twp. near Germantown. He helped with the Army in the Revolution and died age 76 years.

II. JACOB ZORN, (s/o Conrad) was born in Bristol Twp. Philadelphia County, Pa. about 1765, married in St. Michael & Zion Lutheran Church, Philadelphia, Pa. 8/19/1790 to Hannah Shaw (b. 12/12/1755 the d/o John & Phebe Shaw.) Jacob later moved to Montgomery Twp., Montgomery Co., Pa. where he & Hannah died. They had:
1. William, b. 12/29/1791-7/13/1883, marr. 1st. Mary Roghter, 2. Hannah Jones
2. Jacob, (was Friends School teacher in Richland, 1818)
3. Phebe born about 1799, d. 8/4/1819 4. Israel S., b. 3/29/1801-7/10/1895, marr. Matilda Ann Strawn. 5. Charles T., b. 12/2/2/1810, marr. Catherine H. ____

III. WILLIAM ZORNS (eldest s/o Jacob & Hannah Zorns) b. 12/29/1791, d. Montgomery Co. 7/13/1883. Married 1st. Mary Roghter (d/o John & Elizabeth Righter). Mary d. 12/30/1828 and he married 2. Hannah (d/o Joseph & Mary Jones). Children of William & Hannah Jones Zorns: Phebe Ann, John K., Elizabeth M.

ISRAEL ZORNS (s/o Jacob & Hannah Shaw Zorns) b. Montgomery Twp., Montgomery Co. Pa. 3/29/1801, marr. 3/7/1833 in Richland Twp., Bucks Co., Pa. Matilda Ann Strawn (d/o William L. & Jane Wilson Strawn.) She was b. in Strawnstown, Haycock Twp. 1/17/1811-12/30/1884. Children of Israel Shaw & Matilda Ann Strawn Zorns: 1. Chalkley S., b. 4/9/1834-d. Philadelphia, 3/1/1870, marr. 1/1/1863 Margaret C. Reeser. 2. Hannah Elma, b. 7/28/1835, marr. 10/30/1866 William Sheppard. 3. Jane Alice, b. 2/12/18__, d. Richland 3/8/1876.

Charles T. (s/o Jacob & Hannah Shaw Zorns) b. Montgomery Twp., Montgomery Co., Pa. 12/2/1810, marr. Catherine H.________ (b. 11/20/1813) and had:
1. Jacob Evans, b. 3/14/1833-Oct., 1900, marr. Susan Maugle
2. Samuel E., b. 2/22/1835 3. Marraret, b. 8/27/1836

J. Evan Zorns, (s/o Charles T. & Catharine H. Zorns) b. Richland, 3/14/1833. He chose to write his name Jacob Evans and marr. Susan Maugle andhad:
1. Franklin who d. in the Phillipines and marr. Florence Heist, no children.
2. Anna, marr. William Taylor.

Milton Standard, 5/16/1953, by William Murdock,

First Northumberland Troop, Organized at McEwensville, Pa. 1794 and active until Civil War. Roll of 1852 as follows: William Brobst, John Brobst, Adam Schuyler, Jos. Guyer, David McCain, Wm. Foresman, Philip Nicholas

State of [illegible], Union County, On December 25, 1861, in Open Court of Common Pleas, held in and for said county, personally appeared David Kerstetter, aged---years, resident of Chapman township, in said county of Union, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration, under acts of Congress passed June 17, 1844, and subsequent acts. This declarant states, that he is the lawful child of George Kerstetter, late of said county, who was a revolutionary war soldier (Pensioner) of the U.S. under the act of March 18, 1818, at the rate of $96 per annum and who died January 1, 1847. This declarant states, that he is the lawful child of Elizabeth Kerstetter, who was the lawful wife of aforesaid George Kerstetter. That the maiden name of this declarant's mother was Elizabeth [illegible], that the said Elizabeth and George Kerstetter were lawfully married in Chapman township, Union County in 1780. That George and Elizabeth Kerstetter had several children born to them prior to 1791, two of whom were [illegible] and Catharine, and that Elizabeth Kerstetter died in the aforesaid township, Dec. 1, 1830. This declarant further states that the said George and Elizabeth Kerstetter lived in lawful wedlock, as man and wife, from the time of their aforesaid marriage up to the period when he died and that after the death of George the said widow did not again marry but died being a widow. That George and Elizabeth Kerstetter died leaving 6 children only surviving them, whose names are, viz: Michael, Solomon, Philip, David, and Jacob and [illegible].

David Kerstetter.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, on the day & year first above written.

J.P. ____, [illegible], Clerk.

[illegible], Early Friends Families of Upper Bucks County, Pa. by Roberts

[illegible] came from [illegible], Germany, in ship "Neptune" which arrived at Philadelphia, Pa., [illegible]. He settled in Bristol Twp. near Germantown. He [illegible] with the army in the Revolution and died age 76 years.

[illegible], was born in Bristol Twp., Philadelphia County, Pa. about [illegible], married in [illegible] Lutheran Church, Philadelphia, Pa. [illegible] Montgomery Co., Pa. [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Montgomery Twp., Montgomery Co. Pa. [illegible] Richland Twp., Bucks Co., Pa. [illegible]

[illegible] Montgomery Twp., Montgomery [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] by William [illegible]

[illegible] Church, Organized at [illegible], Pa. [illegible] and active

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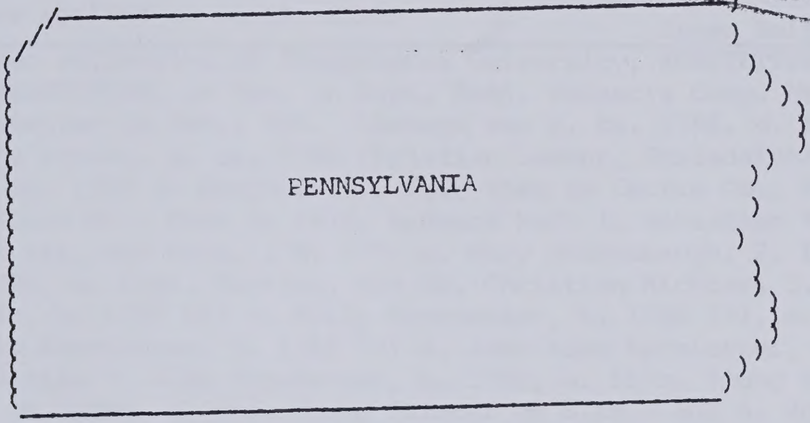

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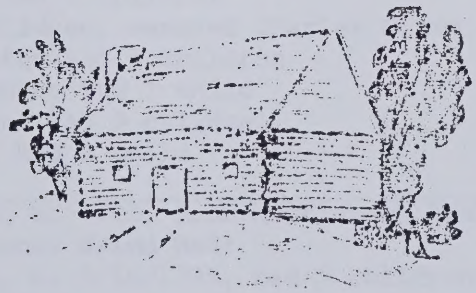

Jacob Stern, Dr.
John Soleman
Peter Shreffler, weaver
Daniel Shreffler

Simon Snyder
Chris Slim, Dr.
Henry Weirick
Daniel Winters

Michael Wagner
And. Wagner
___Wollfley
Casper Yost
___Zeigler, taylor

(Taken from ORIGINAL TAX lists, with names spelled as on ta list.

HARTLETOWN, 1815
Abbot Green, Ames Harris
Godfred Harloff
Thos. Millar, John M'Bride
Jos. Maddin, James Maddin
John Williams, Wm. Poak
James Allexander
James Smith

From Fisher collection at Susquehanna University, KERSTETTER family
LEONARD KERSTETTER, in Rev. in Capt. Benj. Weiser's Comp. He had a brother Geo. Kerstetter in Rev., too. Leonard was b. ca. 1756, d. Stark Co., Ohio, near Stone School, m. ca. 1780 Christian Lenker, Philadelphia, Pa. (?) Migrated ca. 1783 to North'd Co., Pa., then to Centre Co., Pa. 1803 (?), then to Stark Co., Ohio in 1814. Leonard had: 1. Sebastian Kerstetter, sailor who d. at sea, was born, 1781 (?), m. Mary Johsonbaugh. 2. Leonard Kerstetter, b. 2/7/1783, m. Cath. Richter, d/o Lt. Christian Richter. 3. George Kerstetter, b. 1784 (?) 4. Molly Kerstetter, b. 1786 (?), m. John Yost 5. Phillip Kerstetter, b. 1788 (?) 6. John Adam Kerstetter, b. 1790 (?), m. Charitz Zettle 7. John Kerstetter, b. 1792, m. Eliz. Young 8. Peter Kerstetter, b. Sept. 20, 1794, m. Anna Young (sister of Eliz.) and m. 2d. Rosanna Bauer. 9. Jacob Kerstetter, m. Barbara Harsh 10. Christian Kerstetter, m. Isabel Clapper.
John Kerstetter who married Elizabeth Young had: 1. Phillip Kerstetter, b. Sept. 18, 1810, m. 4/5/1831 Ann Sprakle 2. Christian Kerstetter, b. 1811, d. unm. 3. John Kerstetter, b. 1813, m. Aug. 14, 1836 Ann Miller 4. David Kerstetter, b. 1816, m. Oct. 2, 1842 Sara Weyganr, m. 1859 Sara Anne Biller 5. Mary Kerstetter, b.____m. 3/25/1836 Daniel Kleckner 6. Daniel Kerstetter, b. May 11, 1822, Massillon, Ohio, m. Oct. 1, 1848 Nancy Ann Tubbs, (b. 3/22/1830 Luzerne Co., Pa.) 7. Lydia Ann Kerstetter, b. 1826, d. 1828
Daniel Kerstetter who married Nancy Ann Tubbs had: 1. Leander Kerstetter, b. Sept. 9, 1848, m. May 15, 1869 Juliette McGlone 2. Mary Emaline Kerstetter, no issue 3. Elizabeth Ann Kerstetter had 4 children 4. Lydia Nole Kerstetter had 5 children 5. John Avery Kerstetter, no issue.

Leonard Kerstetter who married Juliette Mc Glone had:
1. Charlotte K. who had 2 children
Flora Belle had 3 children, married Charles Grimm (See below)
Arthur David Kerstetter had 4 children
Harriet Alice Kerstetter had 1 child
Varda Ethel Kerstetter had 3 children
Emma Avis Kerstetter had 1 child

Heinrich Jakob Grimm, b. 1743, from Mittlebach Pfalz, Germany. Had, Johannes Grimm. Johannes Grimm had:
Johannes Peter Grimm, b. 3/16/1795, had 5 children, one was,
Peter Grimm, b. May 12, 1824, had 5 children, one was,
Charles Grimm, b. 1/9/1870, married Dec. 31, 1895, Flora Belle Kerstetter (b. Aug. 7, 1876) (See above) She had 3 children, one was
Charles Leander Grimm, b. Oct. 27, 1896, Holgate, Ohio) had 3 children
Fisher or who ever did this left no reference for any of it.

Corrections to page 45-f of Kerstetter material from Fisher's collection at Susquehanna University, Selinsgrove, Pa. by Ruth Galon, Perkasie, Pa. who has done much research on the Kerstetter families of Pennsylvania.

LEONARD KERSTETTER in the Revolution in Capt. Benjamin Weiser's Company (Note: his tombstone at Newman Ohio Lutheran Cemetery says he was a soldier of 1776.) He had a brother George Kerstetter in the Revolution, too (WRONG=== Leonard was a son of Sebastian Kerstetter; George was a son of Michael Kerstetter.) Leonard was born about 1756 (Born 4/ * 12/1756, bapt. 4/15; sps; his uncle, Leonard Kerstetter) and died in Stark County, Ohio near Stone School (buried at Newman, Ohio) Married about 1780 Christina (Anna Christina) Lenker, Philadelphia, Pa. WRONG: Leonard & Christina (Lenker) Kerstetter had a son Sebastian who was born 12/28/1779 and bapt. 3/27/1780 at David's Church, near Killinger, Dauphin County, Pa.) Migrated about 1783 to Northumberland County, Pa. then to Centre County, Pa. about 1803 (?) then to Stark County, Ohio in 1814.

Leonard had:

1. Sebastian Kerstetter, sailor, who died at sea, was born 1781(?) (see above) married Mary Johsonbaugh
2. Leonard Kerstetter, born 2/7/1783 and baptised at Stone Valley Church, Lower Mahanoy Twp., Northumberland County, Pa. Married Catharine Richter (WRONG_ Elizabeth Schreckengast)
3. George Kerstetter, b. 1784 (?) NOTE: It is believed a record at Stone Valley Church for Joh. Georg, son of Heinrich & Anna Christina, nee Lenckert Kerstetter, born 12/28/1785 is for George, son of Leonard. The German nickname Hener for Henry & Bennert for Leonard are similiar phonetically, and may have been given as the father's name.)
4. Molly Kerstetter, b. 1786(?) Not mentioned in Centre County biographical data
5. Phillip Kerstetter, b. 1788(?) Not mentioned in Centre Co. data.
6. John Adam Kerstetter, b. 1790(?) married Charity Zettle
7. John Kerstetter, b. 1792, married Elizabeth Young
8. Peter Kerstetter, b. Sept. 20, 1794, married Anna Young (sister of Elizabeth) and married 2. Rosanna Bauer
9. Jacob Kerstetter married Barbara Harsh
10. Christian Kerstetter (b. 1/1/1806) married Isabel Clapper

NOTES: PHILIP KERSTETTER, d. Oct. 4, 1858, age 62y5m26d, buried at Zion's Stone Valley Church Cemetery. Wife Christiana (Wert) died Oct. 14, 1877, 76y7m9d (Their monument was erected in cemetery by daughter Priscilla)

* Died in 1822. Will filed at Canton, Ohio. Christina Lencker Kerstetter died 1833.

LEONARD KERSTETTER, s/o Leonard) was b. 2/7/1783-5/12/1869. Buried Aaronsburg, Pa. Centre Co. married Elizabeth Schreckengast (3/30/1781-10/9/1857) and they had:

1. Leonard Kerstetter (3/23/1802-8/11/1842 married Sarah Stover
2. Susanna Kerstetter, b. 2/19/1804, married David Neese (d. Penn Twp., Centre Co., Pa.
3. Catharine Kerstetter, b. 7/29/1805, married Benj. Moore, d. Ashland Co., Ohio
4. Elizabeth Kerstetter, b. 12/25/1808, m. Geo. Braucht (d. Penn Twp.)
5. Lydia Kerstetter, b. 1/28/1811, m. John Young of Woodward, Pa.
6. Sarah Kerstetter (twin of Lydia) m. Jacob Rhone of Potter Twp. Centre Co.
7. John Kerstetter, b. 11/13/1813-1896, lived on farm near his father
8. Jacob Kerstetter, d. age 21, Coburn, Pa. b. 2/25/1816
9. Daniel Kerstetter, b. 2/14/1818, lived at Loganton, Pa. m. Christian

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LEONARD KERSTETTER in the Revolution in Capt. Benjamin Weiser's Company (Note: his tombstone at Mennon Ohio Lutheran Cemetery says he was a soldier of 1776.) He had a brother George Kerstetter in the Revolution, too [illegible] a son of [illegible] Kerstetter.) Leonard was born about 1750 (born 10 * 11/1756, Lancs. 4/19, age; his uncle, Leonard Kerstetter) and died in Stark County, Ohio near Stone [illegible] (buried at Mennon, Ohio) [illegible] about 1780 Christina (Anna Christina) Lenker, Philadelphia, Pa. Leonard Leonard & Christina (Lenker) Kerstetter had a son Sebastian who was born [illegible] and bapt. 9/27/1784 at David's Church, near Killinger, Dauphin County, Pa.) Migrated about 1792 to Northumberland County, Pa. then to Centre County, Pa. about 1803 (?) then to Stark County, Ohio in 1814.

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4. Polly Kerstetter, b. (1787?) not mentioned in Centre County biographical data.
5. Phillip Kerstetter, b. 1789(?) not mentioned in Centre Co. data.
6. John Adam Kerstetter, b. 1790(?) married Charity Zettle
7. John Kerstetter, b. 1792, married Elizabeth Young
8. Peter Kerstetter, b. Sept. 20, 1794, married Anna Young (sister of Elizabeth) and married 2. Susanna Bauer
9. Jacob Kerstetter married Barbara Hartz
10. Christian Kerstetter (b. 1/1/1800) married Isabel Glasper

[illegible] KERSTETTER, d. Oct. 4, 1898, age 81y9m26d, buried at Zion's Stone Valley Church Cemetery. Wife Christiana (Hertz) died Oct. 14, 1877, 70y5m6d (Their monument was erected in cemetery by daughter Priscilla)

* Died in 1829. Will filed at Canton, Ohio. Christina Lenker Kerstetter died 1831.

LEONARD KERSTETTER, s/o Leonard) was b. 6/7/1783-8/12/1860; buried Aaronsburg, Pa. Centre Co. married Elizabeth Schreckengast (3/30/1791-10/9/1857) and they had:

1. Leonard Kerstetter (3/23/1809-6/11/1882 married Sarah Stover
2. Susanna Kerstetter, b. 2/19/1806, married David Bower (d. Penn Twp., Centre Co., Pa.
3. Catharine Kerstetter, b. 7/29/1803, married Benj. Moore, d. Ashland Co., Ohio
4. Elizabeth Kerstetter, b. 12/25/1809, m. Geo. Braucht (d. Penn Twp.)
5. Lydia Kerstetter, b. 1/28/1811, m. John Young of Woodward, Pa.
6. Sarah Kerstetter (twin of Lydia) m. Jacob Moore of Potter Twp. Centre Co.

Kerstetter corrections (continued)

11. Molly Kerstetter, married John Nugert, died Penn Twp., Centre Co., Pa.
12. Polly Kerstetter, married Jacob Stover (bro. of Sarah, above), died in Haines Twp., Centre Co., Pa.

NOTE: Leonard & Elizabeth Schreckengast Kerstetter had a daughter, Maria Magdalena , born July 10, 1807. It is not known whether she was "Molly" or "Polly" both of which are nicknames for Mary Magdalena.

COVER PICTURE

Early log chapel (Methodist), Milton, Pennsylvania, 1807, as drawn from descriptions found in early Methodist material and historical books.

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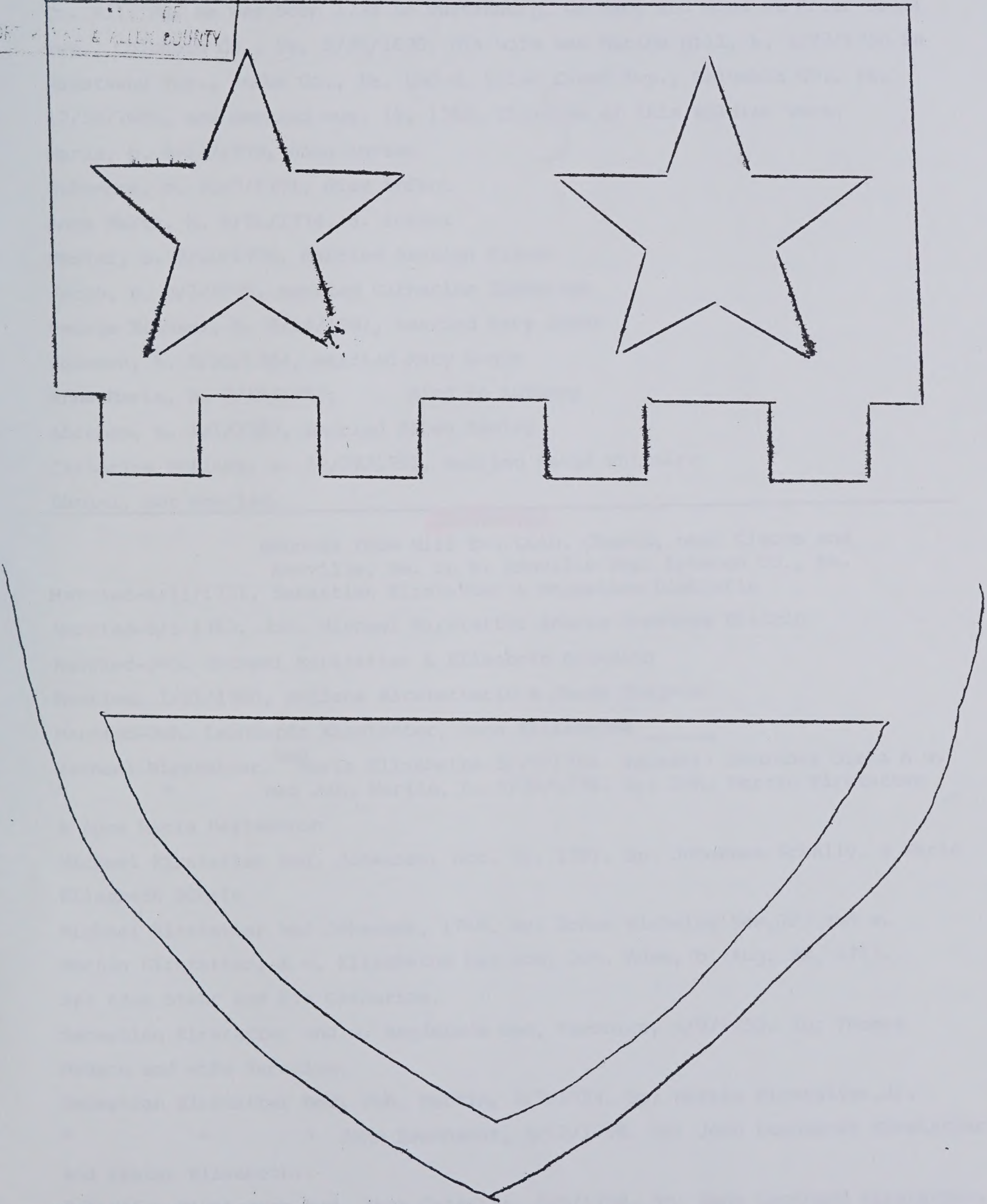

TWINING COAT OF ARMS, REF: Burke, Sir Bernard, General Armory of Great Britian.

REVOLUTIONARY WAR SOLDIER
George Michael Bower
Reference: DAR papers

George Michael Bower, took Oath of Allegiance in Berks Co., Pa. He also servied two years as private in Capt. Peter Smith's Comp. of the 2d. Batt. of Berks Co. Mil. Pa. He was born 1738 in Wurtenburg, Germany and died at Briar Creek Twp., Columbia Co., Pa. 2/26/1820. His wife was Martha Hill, b. 3/22/1750 in Maxatawny Twp., Berks Co., Pa. and d. Briar Creek Twp., Columbia Co., Pa. 12/24/1825, and married Aug. 15, 1769. Children of this soldier were:

Maria, b. 6/13/1770, died infant
Johannes, b. 10/7/1771, died infant
Anna Maria, b. 6/21/1774, d. infant
Hester, b. 9/10/1776, married Bastian Kisner
Jacob, b. 4/1/1779, married Catharina Zimmerman
George Michael, b. 8/14/1781, married Mary Zaner
Solomon, b. 6/10/1784, married Mary Evans
Anna Maria, b. 3/19/1787, died in infancy
Abraham, b. 1/1/1789, married Ellen Remley
Catharina Philena, b. 12/29/1791, married David Whitmire
Daniel, not married.

KERSTETTER
Records from Hill Ev. Luth. Church, near Cleona and Annville, Pa. in N. Annville Twp. Lebanon Co., Pa.

Married-6/11/1751, Sebastian Kirstatter & Magdalena Dieblerin
Married-6/5 1753, Joh. Michael Kirstatter &Maria Dorothea Dietzin
Married-Joh. Michael Kirstetter & Elisabeth Bickelin
Married, 1/21/1760, Juliana Kirstetterin & Jacob Ziegeler
Married-Joh. Leonhardt Kirstetter, Anna Elisabetha ______

Michael Kirstatter had Maria Elisabetha 3/23/1754 sponsor: Johannes Dietz & w.
" " had Joh. Martin, b. 5/30/1756. Sp: Joh. Martin Kirstatter & Anna Maria Heylmannin

Michael Kirstatter had, Johannes, Oct. 31, 1761. Sp: Johannes Schally, & Maria Elizabeth Bohrin

Michael Kirstatter had Johannes, 1769, sp: Johan Nicholas New,Jr. and w.

Martin Kirstatter, & w. Elisabetha had son, Joh. Adam, b. Aug. 28, 1757. Sp: Adam Stohr and Eva Catharina.

Sebastian Kirstatter and w. Magdalena had, Veronica, 4/9/1752. Sp: Thomas Madern and wife Veronica.

Sebastian Kirstatter had, Joh. Martin, 3/7/1754. Sp: Mattin Kirstatter,Jr.

" " " John Leonhardt, 4/12/1756. Sp: John Leonhardt Kirstatter and sister Elisabeth.

Sebastian Kirstetter had, Anna Catarina, 5/1/1758. Sp: John Leonhard Kirstatter, and Anna Catherine Unlerin.

Sebastian Kirstatter had, Sebastian, Sept. 24, 1763. Sp: John Kissner and w.
" " " Peter, Sept. 26, ___. Sp: Peter Feltin and Maria
" " " Anna Margaretha, 7/13/1766, Sp: Frantz Fuchs & wife
John Martin Kirstatter and w. Dorothea had, John Martin, 12/9/1733, sp: Ottma Schnabele and wife.
John Martin Kirstatter had Johannes, Sept. 3, 1739. Sp: Johannes Schmeltz & w.
" " " " Juliana, 1/25/1741. Sp. Juliana Umbergerin

REVOLUTIONARY WAR SOLDIER
William Johnston

Taken from a Volumn in the Indiana Public Library at Indianapolis, Indiana, William Johnston, b. ca. 1752, enlisted in York Co., Pa. Oct., 1776, served Pa. Line two years Lancaster Co., Pa. He married Sidney Larrimer 4/16/1776. Children: Sidney, Mary, Martha, Margaret, John, Agnes, Andrew, Ester. Widow's application dated 4/27/1838 stated that after the Revolution he resided in Allegheny Co., Pa. Then Fayette Co., Pa. Then Westmoreland Co., Pa. And for last year has resided in Richland Co., Ohio. Application for pension 1/31/1834 residence was in Plymouth Twp., Richland Co., Ohio. Pensioned there 1/31/1834. Also, a widow applied for pension from Huron Co., Ohio, 7/29/1839. NOTE- This fact leads the State Chairman to believe this is the William Johnston, Huron Co. Ohio, Page 204, Vol. 1, Ohio Roster Rev. Soldiers. No place of burial was given by the widow. From C.M. Garber Butler, Ohio Sec SAR at Mansfield comed date: William Johnston buried Terris Cem., Worthington Twp., Richland Co., Ohio. Died Sept. 20, 1849, age 90 years.

Cumberland Co., Pa. records taken from microfilms at State Archives, Pa.

George HAMILTON, will pvd. Sept. 20, 1796, of Toboyne Twp. Executor: Wm. Hamilton. Children: Martha, George, Elizabeth. (Book F, p. 37)

George HAMILTON, Resident of Mifflin Twp., Cumb. Co. wife Routh. Son, Samuel. Dau. Nancy, son James, Dau. Martha Brandt. Pvd. Aug. 6, 1814. Book H, p. 276.

Andrew EWINE, of East Pensborough, Cumb. Co., Pa. wife Agnes. Children: Andrew, Ann Quigley, Elizabeth Williamson, Armstrong, William, John, James, and William the two eldest and are the executors. Pvd. Sept. 4, 1797.

Adam GROMLICH, of Allen Twp. Cumb. Co. Children: Adam, Christopher the executors Other children: Magdalena, Peter. Wife was Mary. Pvd. 11/20/1801. Dau. Ann was dec'd. but had married Michael Bunkel and had 3 children: Michael, Jacob, Adam.

George HOOVER, of Carlisle, Pa. wife Anna Maria. pvd. 5/22/1797. My bro. Conrad Hoover, sister Barbara Hoppack.

ABSTRACTS OF
SNYDER COUNTY PROBATE and ORPHANS COURT RECORDS
(1772-1855)

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10/6/1789	Adam Smith,Sr.	Catherine;CHILDREN:Adam,Margaret,George,Michael,Catherine,Barbara(minor)
4/5/1791	Leonard Kerstetter	Henry,George,and Barbara,Minors
4/5/1791	George Levingood	George,under 14;John,Jacob,both above 14 yrs.
"	Phil.Conrad Aumiller	Conrad Aumiller,Abigail Borrah,and Elizabeth Snyder,
"	Peter Borrah	Jacob Borrah & David Miller;administrators.
5/19/1791	Henry Zeller	CHILDREN:John,Henry,Michael,Andrew,Fred,Tobias,Peter,Margaret Elizabeth(Mrs.Nicholas Klutz),Elizabeth(Mrs.Mich.Swingle),Ann Amelia(Mrs.Andrew Berger)
7/5/1791	Jacob Aurand	Catherine(above 14),Henry,John,Elizabeth,George,and Jacob,all under 14.
11/30/1792	Henry Bickel	WIFE:Regina(now Mrs.Geo.Schoch).CHILDREN:Christopher,Sophia(Mrs.Henry Peters),Maria Catherine(plus 14) Maria Elizabeth and Henry,both under 14.
1/—1793	Philip Bower	of Penn Twp.left wife:Elizabeth.BROTHER:George.
8/27/1793	Theobald Miller	" " ". Daniel (under 14).
12/30/1793	George Pfile	" " " .WIFE:Frena.CHILDREN:Henry(oldest),Jacob,George,Barbara(Mrs.Jacob Zellers),Anna(Mrs.Jacob Lower),and Mary(Mrs.Daniel Bracht,or Brought)
3/31/1794	Anthony Selin	Anthony C.,and Agnes Selin,both under 14.
9/22/1794	Theobald Miller	of Penn Twp.WIFE:Mary(now Mrs.Geo.May).CHILDREN:Benj.,Valentine,Daniel,Margaret(Mrs.John Metzger),Catherine(Mrs.John Adams—dead—no issue),Elizabeth,Mary.
8/27/1795	Nicholas Zell	of Lancaster County owned land in Penn Twp.,Northumberland Co.He left a widow and eight children.J acob was 2nd son.
"	Peter Markley	Peter,Elizabeth,Margaret(all above 14),and Eva,Under 14 years.Other children were Jacob(oldest),Barbara(Mrs.Baltzer Mitterling),and Catherine(Mrs.Michael Miller)
1/27/1796	Henry Bollender	George,under 14 in 1796.
11/—/1796	Ludwig Kline	Penn Twp. Widow,Catherine.
1/23/1797	Jacob Levingood	CHILDREN:Peter(oldest),Elizabeth(Mrs.Thos.Crawford),Rebecca(Mrs.Ludwig Bachman),Joseph,Catherine,Polly,Esther.
"	George Levingood	of Mahantango Twp.Widow,Maria.CHILDREN:Jacob,John,(above 14),George.
4/25/1797	Ludwig Kline	Isaac,under 14,
8/27/1797	William Weirick	Widow,Catherine,who married a Kuhn,and a son Henry,under 14,
1/23/1797	Jacob Morton	of Mahantango Twp. died 1/6/1797.Anna.
1/24/1798	Christian Sechrist	" " " left widow,and six Children:Christian(oldest),Peter,Mary(above 14),John,Anna,and Henry,all under 14.
"	John Hager	Widow,Elizabeth,who married John Kendig,and one child now dead.BROTHERS AND SISTERS:Fred,Henry,Jacob,Catherine,Christina,Susan.
4/28/1798	Sebastian Weaver	Widow,Mary and seven children:Anthony,John,Sebastian,Elizabeth,Catherine,George,Jacob.
3/4/1799	Peter Stoke(Stock)	Peter(above 14) and Melchoir,Michael,and Elizabeth, all under 14 Years.
4/23/1799	Jacob Aurand	Sons: George,and John
6/—/1799	Andrew Fox	Widow,Eve,who married Michael Redingbaugh(maybe Reichenbach).CHILDREN:Conrad,Mary,Elizabeth(plus 14)

				Janet Neitz,Abigail Gerl, Susan Frantz,Nancy,Margaret. BROTHER:Leonard (exec.)
2/22/1804	7/6/1804	Peter Wagner	Beaver	WIFE:Maria Margaret Roger, dau. of Adam.CHILDREN:Peter, Susan.BROTHER:Jacob.
12/6/1803	7/6/1804	Andrew Meeck	"	WIFE,Anna Maria.CHILDREN: Margaret,Henry,Andrew,John (youngest)
8/3/1804	8/27/1804	Elias Wagner	"	WIFE, Eva.CHILDREN: John and six other sons--no names. Mrs.Daniel Musser, and four other daughters--no names
7/16/1804	12/4/1804	Magdalene Kerstetter (wid.of Sebastian)	Mahantango	CHILDREN:Martin, and others. GRAND-DAUGHTER:Magdalene Miller.
	6/29/1805	John Snyder (Probably Capt.John)	"	WIFE,Susanna.CHILDREN:John, George,Mary Neitz,Elizabeth (Mrs.George Kerstetter), Jacob,Margaret Stahley.
1/10/1805	1/28/1805	Christina Meyer (widow of Chas.)	Penn	CHILDREN:Anna Maria(Mrs.Peter Richter),Martin,Charles,Jacob, Frederick,Catherine(Mrs.John Haas)
9/13/1805	10/22/1805	David Disler	Mahantango	WIFE,Elizabeth,CHILDREN--no names given EXECUTOR:John Hafflich
10/31/1805	12/7/1805	Adam Shower,Sr.	Center	WIFE;Elizabeth.CHILDREN:Jacob, Fred,Adam,John,Magdalene, Elizabeth,Anna Mary.
2/4/1806	2/22/1806	George P.Motz (Buried at Freeburg,Pa.)	Penn	WIFE,Mary.CHILDREN: John, Mrs.Lorentz Hains,Susan, Barbara(youngest),and two others--no names.
8/30/1803	2/25/1806	John Graybill	Mahantango	WIFE,Barbara,CHILDREN:Christian,Jacob,John,Susan(Mrs. John Snyder),Barbara Shaffer, Magdalene(Mrs.Harman Snyder, Jr. Catherine(Mrs.Peter Seachrist),Anna Acker,Mary Kneply.
1/9/1805	4/28/1806	Hugh Gwynn	Penn	WIFE: Margaret.CHILDREN: George,William,Hugh,Samuel, Daniel,Thomas,Margaret(Mrs. John Tate),Mary(Mrs.Jacob Overmire),Deborah(Mrs.Archibald Mars)
2/15/1802	8/29/1806	Capt.Jos.Green	Beaver	WIFE,Mary.CHILDREN: George (General)Abbott,Elizabeth Shively;Alice McCoy, John Timothy,Joseph,William,Thomas
	10/20/1806	Peter Maurer		WIFE, Catherine,CHILDREN: John,Peter,Philip,Mrs.Jacob Billman,probably others.
7/13/1803	2/25/1807	Francis P.Brenner	Penn	WIFE Mary Catherine Elizabeth. CHILDREN: Cath.Elizabeth(Mrs. John Berry),John Daniel,Francis Ludwig--dead (left

SNYDER COUNTY WILLS

(Taken from Union County Records, of which Snyder was a part(1813-1855)

DATE PROBATED	DATE MADE	NAME OF DECEASED	TOWNSHIP	HEIRS
3/8/1814		George Ott	Penn	Daniel Barbara(Mrs.Joseph Feehrer) Susan(Mrs.Michael Beaver,Sr.) Catherine(Mrs.Jacob Jarret) Frederick Hannah(Mrs.JohnLeyman) Christina(Mrs.Nicholas Potius Elizabeth(Mrs.John Steininger Maria(Mrs.Peter Dreese)
3/16/1814		David Reading	Center	Wife and children,no names given.(James Wales,Executor)
6/3/1814		Henry Rine	Mahantango	Wife: Christina. John,Margaret Neyman; Ann Elizabeth Shetterly;Christina Coleman; Barbara Coleman(had son named Henry),Catherine (Mrs. Peter Lambert),Christina(Mrs. Frederick Meiser
10/13/1814		Henry Schnepp	Center	WIFE: Catherine John,Henry,Catherine,Christina,Elizabeth,WITNESSES: Peter Freed and Christian Miller
2/9/1815		John Hens(Hains)	Mantango	WIFE: Regina Schuster George,Lorentz,Fred,Peter, Jacob Margaret(Mrs.Peter Freed) Anna Mary(Mrs.Peter Stroup) Catherine(Mrs.Henry Heimbach) Elizabeth(Mrs.John Smith) Christina(Mrs.Henry Mertz)
5/6/1815		Michael Moyer	Center	WIFE: Barbara Barbara Fisher(servant) Susan,sister(Mrs.Henry Moyer) Jacob Krick,brother-in-law Jacob Moyer,Tanner,cousin,of Beaver Twp.
5/27/1815		Jacob Grubb	Center	WIFE: Elizabeth John,Henry,Susan,Jacob,Elizabeth,Catherine
7/14/1815		Michael Albright	Mahantango	WIFE: Catherine Emanuel,Elizabeth (Adam Light,Executor)
7/29/1815		Jacob Lepley	Center	WIFE: Catherine(Executor) Jacob(Oldest son),Henry (Execut.)Anthony,Margaret Kern,Michael,John Catherine Kern,Elizabeth;Adam;Christian, and Mary.
9/1/1815		Mart.Kerstetter	Beaver	WIFE:ELIZABETH(Executor) Tobias(Executor)of East Buffalo Township. Three other sons(no names given) Six daughters(no names given)

5/11/1833	3/26/1834	Catherine Knouse	Penn	SON:Abraham,possible others
3/8/1834	4/4/1834	John Baker	Selinsgrove	WIFE:Sarah.CHILDREN:Mrs.John Thurston,Elizabeth Sneth,and probably others.
1/23/1833	4/5/1834	Mathias Spotz	Penn	CHILDREN:Barbara(Mrs.Jacob Garman),Eve(Mrs.Fred Young),Elizabeth(Mrs.John Boyer),Polly(Mrs.Christian Kantz)
9/25/1832	6/5/1834	Peter Hilbish	Wash.	WIFE:Susan.CHILDREN:Daniel (youngest),Catherine(Mrs. Benjamin Hummel),Elizabeth,(Mrs.Jacob Heinly),Sarah(Mrs. Samuel Yoder),Susan(Mrs.John Hummel),John,Henry,Peter,Jacob.
3/2/1834	7/24/1834	George Margeritz	Beaver	WIFE:Charlotte.CHILDREN:Harman,Margaret,Edward,Eliza,Bertha,John,Emelie
6/15/1833	9/15/1834	Catherine Deobler	Penn	CHILDREN:Charles(who had a wife,Mary,and daughter, Catherine),Catherine(Mrs. Isaac Dreibelbis),Anthony,Jacob,Lewis,Solomon.

WILLS OF PEOPLE WHO LIVED OUTSIDE OF THE PRESENT SNYDER COUNTY,PENNSYLVANIA

6/2/1788	8/18/1788	John Shaffer (Northumberland Co.)	Mahanoy Twp.	WIFE:Maria Eva.CHILDREN:Lieut. John Adam,John Nicholas,John Michael,Andrew,John George,Catherine(dead),Elizabeth,Magdalene.
1/29/1789	8/7/1790	Jonas Focht	Buffalo	CHILDREN:Barbara,Eva,Anna,Elizabeth, and Michael(who had a son named Jonas),
10/25/1784	2/25/1791	Peter Born	"	WIFE:Barbara.CHILDREN:Peter,Henry,John,Susan,Catherine,Elizabeth;Sarah,Barbara,Christina.
	1/5/1795	Joseph Doebler (Rev.soldier)	"	SISTERS AND BROTHERS:Elizabeth Shenks,Catherine,Barbara,Christopher.
	11/17/1798	Martin Kerstetter (Northd.Co.)	Mahanoy	WIFE:Elizabeth.CHILDREN:John Adam,John,Margaret,Elizabeth,Rudolph,Barbara,Anna,Catherine.
	10/11/1800	Jacob Anderson (Snyder Co.)	Penn	WIFE:Jennie.DAUGHTERS:Susan,Elizabeth.
	6/22/1802	Christopher Witmer	Mahanoy	WIFE:Eva Christina;Children;Christopher,and others.
	3/9/1813	" Seebold	Buffalo	WIFE:Barbara.CHILDREN:Margaret.(Mrs.And.Wagner,who had Catherine and William);Stella(Mrs.Mich.Greenhoe,who had Jacob),John,Christopher.
	2/2/1822	Jacob Focht	New Berlin	U.S. Soldier.

ABSTRACT OF WILLS OF SNYDER COUNTY, PA. (1772-1855)

(Taken from the Northumberland County Records of which Snyder County was a part between 1772 and 1813)

MADE	PROBATED WILL	NAME OF DECEASED	TOWNSHIP	HEIRS
1/7/1780	6/26/1780	George Bombach	Penn	Wife and children—no names given.
4/2/1781	5/18/1781	Casper Yost	Penn	Wife and children-no names given.
2/18/1787	3/20/1787	Seb.Kerstetter	"	Wife,Mary,Martin,Leonard, Peter,Sebastian,Frances, Catherine,Margaret,Exec.wife and son,Leonard.
4/9/1787	6/19/1787	Jacob German	"	WIFE:Anna.CHILDREN: Christian, John, Catherine Foulk(who had son,Christian).Rosina Ward, and Regina(Mrs.John Hammersly)
(NOTE: Jacob had land in York and Cumberland counties)				
1/27/1789	2/23/1789	John Binkley	"	WIFE:CATHERINE,CHILDREN: Catherine,Jacob,Adam,Maria, Maria,Elizabeth.
3/20/1782	8/26/1790	Peter Druckemiller	"	WIFE,ANNA MARY.CHILDREN: FREDERICK,Elizabeth(Mrs. Andrew Haffer)
7/9/1791	8/25/1791	Mathias Strayer	Beaver	WIFE,MARY MARGARET.CHILDREN: Andrew,others—no names given.
3/7/1791	12/21/1791	Jacob Newman	Penn	CHILDREN:Mich ael(oldest), Wiant,Eve,Gertrude,Elizabeth (Mrs.Jacob Kopy),Susan(Mrs. Jacob Thomas),and Ann.
2/24/1790	3/29/1790	Fred.Druckenmiller	Penn	WIFE,CHRISTINA.CHILDREN:John Fred.,Peter,Mary,Elizabeth, Margaret,Christina,Catherine Magdalene, & Barbara.
10/16/1784	3/10/1790	Tobias Bickel,Sr.	"	CHILDREN:Hanry(dead),Tobias, John,Simon,Thomas,Jacob, Catherine,Mary Elizabeth, Maria Margaret,Anna Maria, and Rosina.
5/22/1777	3/20/1783	Abraham Snyder (of Tulpehocken Tp.,Berks Co.)		WIFE—no Name.CHILDREN:Jacob, Abraham,John George,Thomas, Maria.
————	8/3/1793	Peter Witmer	Penn	WIFE—Salome.CHILDREN:Peter, Mrs.John Thornton,Mrs.John Motz,Samuel,John,Susanna.
9/29/1793	10/5/1793	Nicholas Dusing	Penn	WIFE,DOROTHY,CHILDREN:John, Elizabeth(Mrs.John Hartman)
8/14/1793	10/5/1793	Christopher Shaffer	"	WIFE,MARIA EVA ROSINA.CHILDREN Christopher,Catherine(Mrs. Paul Heim),Barbara(Mrs.Abe Markley),Elizabeth(Mrs.Phil. Foulkrod),John,Philip,Andrew, Jacob,Rosina,Daniel,Magdalene Anna Maria.
2/12/1794	4/14/1794	Jacob Dreese (of Albany Twp. Berks Co.,Pa.)	Beaver	WIFE—no name CHILDREN:John, Jacob,Mary Magdalene,Peter, Mary Elizabeth,Christina. BROTHER: John

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Zechman, John & Eva Catherine	John	10/1/1805	Fred Walter-Elizabeth Schoch
	Jacob	2/20/1808	Parents
	George	3/22/1809	Geo. Leitzel-Magdalene Breon
	Benjamin	2/20/1811	Benj. & Catharine Kratzer
	Elizabeth	10/19/1819	Parents

END

COMMUNICANTS OF ROW'S (SALEM) LUTHERAN CONGREGATION, 5/27/1789

(Arranged in family groups, or as near so as possible at this late date)

Dauberman, Peter & Catherine Elizabeth
" Elizabeth
" John
Druckenmiller, Fred & Christina
" Mary Elizabeth
" Margaret
Fetter, Barbara
Hosterman, Christina
" Elizabeth
Herner, George & Cugipunta
" Jacob
" John
Kohler, Michael
" Mary Catherine
Laudenslager, J. George & Catherine
Miller, Anna Margaret
Catherine
Mary Magdalene
Moyer, John
Dorothea
Mary Catherine

Rau(Raup) George & Mary
John
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Row, Mary Magdalene
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Philip
Weaver, John & Eva Mary
Juliana
Weaver, Michael & Barbara

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BAPTISMAL RECORD OF ZION (MORR'S) LUTHERAN CHURCH
1781-1808

Worship was held in the vicinity of what is now Freeburg, Snyder County, Pennsylvania as early as 1774, but seemingly no congregation was organized until later. In 1781, a log building was erected to use as a church and schoolhouse along the hill, about a mile north of the present town of Freeburg, Pa. The building was never fully completed. Freeburg was laid out by Andrew Straub in 1795, and he gave two squares in the town site for a church and cemetery, and in 1811 a log church was erected and the congregation abandoned it's first building about a mile north of town. The new church was designated St. Peter's, and Zion (or Morr's) Church passed out of existence. Rev. Frederick William Jasensky, who served Zion Church from about 1791 to 1796, was undoubtedly the first resident pastor in what is now Snyder County, Pa. In this record only the year of the baptism is given, but as the early Lutherans were in the habit of having the child baptised soon after birth, the year of baptism is also usually the year of birth. A few birth dates have been located elsewhere by the compiler and these have been inserted. "X" indicates that the father was a Revolutionary soldier. This information has been added by Dr. Charles A. Fisher, Selinsgrove, Pa.

PARENTS	CHILD	BIRTH	BAPTISED	SPONSORS
Arborgast, Fred & Margaret	XEva Susan		1782	And. & Susan Wittenmire
" Nicholas & Eva	Samuel		1807	
Basseler, Geo. & Mary	Jonathan		1789	
Berry, Fred & Catherine	Anna Catherine		1784	
" Jacob & Christina	Christina		1789	
	John		1792	
	Barbara		1794	
" John & Elizabeth	Anna Mary		1804	
Bickel, John & Catherine	XJohn		1782	Peter Witmer
Bickel, Simon & Elizabeth	XRosina		1783	Mich. & Rosina Bickel
Bickel, Thomas & Barbara	XMary Julia		1784	Treester
Bollender, Adam Jr. & Magdalene	XJohn Philip		1787	
Boyer,Christian & Christina	XSarah		1804	
" Francis & Barbara	Anna Cath.		1808	Philip Boyer & wife
Brenner, Ludwig & Elizabeth	Cath. Eliz.		1785	
Dillman, And. & Barbara Roush	XJohn		1783	Casper & Anna Roush
Dornmiller, Nicholas & Mary	Mary Cath.		1791	
Fisher, John Adam & Mary E. Reid	XJohn Jacob	6/15/1786	1786	Parents
Freiberger, Fred & Dorothea	Jacob Fred		1783	Fred & Margaret Arbogast
Garman(German)Henry & Magdalene	George		1805	
" Jacob & Anna Regina	Mary Eva		1794	Rev. F. W. Jasensky & wife
	Cath. Eliz.		1795	
Glass, George & Eva Albright	XJohn		1783	
	Salome		1786	
	Barbara		1788	
Hains, John & Regina Schuster	XJohn Peter		1782	J. Reichenbach
	Mary C.		1784	
	Jacob		1787	
Haeffer, And & Eliz. Druckenmiller	XAndrew		1785	
Heissler, Henry & Cath. Elizabeth	Mary Marg.		1793	
Hosterman, Col. Peter & Elizabeth	XJohn Peter		1785	
Jasensky, Rev. Fred W. & Mary Eva	John Jacob		1793	
	John George		1795	
Keiper, Adam & Catherine	John George		1784	
Kerstetter, Martin & Assilonia	Peter		1788	
Keiser, Henry & wife	XAndrew		1781	And. Shaffer & wife
Mertz, Phillip & Anna	XMary Marg.		1785	Philip & Marg. Moyer
Mertz, Lt. Phillip & Anna	XGertrude	11/17/1787	1787	Parents
	Anna Mary		1789	"
Miller, Jacob & Catherine	Elizabeth		1785	
" Joseph & Margaret	Sarah		1804	
Morr, John Geo. & Catherine	John George	10/5/1784	1784	
	John Philip	12/25/1787	1788	
Morr, Philip & Elizabeth Gemberling	Phillip		1788	
	Sarah	2/13/1790	1790	
	Catherine	9/1/1793	1793	
	Elizabeth	7/29/1795	1795	

GRU[illegible]'S CHURCH

PARENTS	CHILD	BIRTH DATE	SPONSORS
Hafflich, Jacob Jr. & Eliz.	Leah L.	6/16/1815	Catherine Zeller, widow
Zeller (John)	Jacob	6/25/1821	John Heim-M. Margaret Hafflich
Hafflich, John & wife	David	1/20/1807	John Reinard & wife
" , Philip & Hannah	Jacob	9/30/ 1816	John & Esther Reichley
	Eliza	5/21/1820	Magdalene Hafflich, single
Haggerty, John & Sarah	Jacob	1/20/1815	Jon. & Cath. Schtzberger
Hahn, Andrew & Margaret	Susanna	5/13/1802	Eva Krumbach
(Andrew was the son of	Henry	10/24/1803	Henry Krumbach
Michael, Sr. A rev.	John	7/5/1805	Parents
soldier)	George	12/16/1805(?)	Andrew & Anna Maria Shetterly
	Benjamin	10/22/1807	Parents
Hamilton, John & Regine	Elias	11/16/1825	John & Elizabeth Lenig
Hanson, John & Catherine	John	1/2811816	Parents
Hauser, Jacob & Elizabeth	Andrew	10/28/1816	Barbara Stahl
" , John & wife	Elizabeth	6/9/1792	John & Maria (Apple) Richter
Hegeman, John & wife	Maria	5/31/1794	Keturah Alt (Old)
Heim, John & Maria Marg-	Frederick	10/10/1825	John & Margaret Shaffer
aret Hafflich	Jacob	10/9/1823	Jacob & Elizabeth Reichenbach
Heins(Heim?) Peter & Eva Moyer	Elizabeth	7/24/1812	Catherine Heimbach
	Reuban	3/31/1816	Adam Light-Catherine Heimbach
	Catherine	9/6/1818	Parents
	William	9/24/1820	"
Heintzelman, Andrew & Maria	Henry W.	1/28/1852	Barbara Heintzelman, widow
	Susanna	10/30/1857	John & Elizabeth Heintzelman
" " , Daniel & Catherine	Barbara E.	1/25/1855	Adam & Catherine Nerhood
	Jonathan	3/12/1858	Geo. & Catherine Heintzelman
	William	7/20/1871	J. D. & Elizabeth "
" " , Geo. & Catherine	Esther	11/9/1857	Barbara Heintzelman
" " , Jonathan & Barbara	John	11/30/1812	Johathan Shotzberger, single
Shotzberger(Christopher)	J. Deitrick	2/19/1815	John & Elizabeth Lenig
	Sarah	2/1/1817	Henry & Cath. Budel(Shadel?)
	Barbara	11/22/1818	Geo. Shaffer-Susan Scherberg
	J. George	8/1/1821	J. Geo. Heintzelman-Sara Shaffer
	Catherine	2/22/1831	Peter & Catherine Arbogast
Hempt(Heins or Heim?) Peter &			
Eva (or Elsa)	Marie	4/12/1828	Catherine Heimbach, single
Heisler, Henry & Cath. Eliz.	Susanna	3/26/1792	Geo. & SusannaWiant
	Henry Jr.	7/12/1795	Henry & Veronica Shetterly
	Maria	6/10/1797	John & Maria Salomantz
Herrold, Fred Sr. & Catherine	Anna	4/20/1819	J. Peter & Anna Maria Shaffer
" , " Jr " "	Catherine	8/15/1818	Mother
	John	3/4/1820	John Herrold, Catherine Richter
" , J. George & MarySteese			
(Hon. Frederick)	Abel	11/8/1814	Fred. Dr. & Catherine Herrold
" , John & MaryHacker	Mary Ann	1/31/1834	Geo. Herrold Jr-Polly Meiser
	Barbara Ann	1/29/1838	John & Catherine Traub
	Phoebe Ann	6/9/1844	Maria Traub, single
	Solomon	3/12/1848	Mother
" , Geo. H. & Barbaral	Amelia	2/15/1841	Simon & Polly Herrold
Heintzelman			
" , Henry & Susan Walborn	Perry H.	12/11/1820	Jacob Frederick-Eliz. Herrold
	Maria G.	11/30/1822	Parents
	Cathèrine	8/29/1824	J. Peter & Anna Maria Shaffer

PARENTS	CHILD	BIRTH DATE	SPONSORS
Herrold, Simon & Sarah Rich-			
ter (John)	Simon R.	8/12/1836	Parents
Hildebeitel, George & wife	Catherine	1/6/1793	Peter & Catherine Bauer
Hoffer, Joseph & Mary	Margaret (Bap)	3/2/1831	Mother
Hoh(Hof or Hob) Henry & wife	------	11/18/1812	Andrew & Maria Shetterly
" " " " Fred & Eliz.	Elizabeth	12/15/1816	John & Elizabeth Rine
Hoffman, David & Louisa	Eliza	10/4/1823	Anna Maria Traub, widow
	Lydia	8/7/1825	Catherine Goy, single
	Matilda	12/15/1827	Barbara Troup. single
Holmen, Isaac & Barbara	Catherine	5/18/1833	Rebecca Limbert (Lambert?)
Hornberger, Abner & Lydia	John George	10/23/1831	George & Elizabeth Kerschner
	Abner, Jr.	1/30/1834	Daniel & Sarah Bownam
Hummel, Jonathan & Sarah	Peter	6/1/1816	Casper & Magdalene Arnold
	Catherine	4/15/1818	Susanna Shaffer, single
	Susanna	10/6/1824	Eliza Shaffer, single
" , Thomas & Sarah	Elizabeth	7/11/1820	John & Juliana Clemens
Imhof, Carl & Maria	Elizabeth	8/31/1798	(She married Henry Zeller)
" , Jacob & Catherine			
Shaffer, unmarried	Jacob	1/30/1821	Jacob & Margaret Roush
Johnson, John & Catherine	Henry	3/21/1822	Mother
	Isaac	7/31/1825	Mother
Kelant (Gelnet?) Casper &			
Catherine	M. Catherine	5/10/1794	Henry & Catherine Haupler
Keller, Jacob & Elizabeth	John Jacob	1/12/1851	Catherine Traub, widow
	Wm. Benj.	9/10/1853	Wm. & Anna Moyer
	M. Catherine	2/10/1863	David & Anna Troup
Kelly, Peter & Sophia Gamby	G. Washington	4/24/1829	George & Susan Gamby
Kelly, Philip & Mary Gamby	Seth	12/23/1828	Peter & Sophia Gamby Kelly
" , William & Elizabeth	Sophia	3/22/1825	John Herrold-Barbara Shaffer
d/o J. Peter Shaffer	John James	1835	Parents
Kerschner, Geo. & Susanna	Maria	8/14/1836	Maria Shadel, single
Kerstetter, Adam & Lydia	Henry	8/2/1819	Henry & Polly Kohler
	Lydia	9/16/1821	Henry & Veronica Shetterly
	Verna	"	Peter & Catherine Zerbe
" , David & Catherine	Michael	7/23/1829	Parents
" , Lewis & Cath. Herrold	Catherine	12/8/1829	Catherine(Mrs. Fred Herrold)
"Leonard & Catherine	----	3/7/1818	Christian & Catherine North
" Michael & wife	Christian	7/31/1818	John & Susanna Clemens
	Hannah	7/26/1820	Christian & Elizabeth Richter
" Michael & Susanna	Oscar	10/8/1863	Mother
" J. George & Elizabeth	Catherine	3/8/1792	Parents
Snyder	Solomon	2/5/1794	"
	Magdalene	10/31/1806	"
(He may have been born in 1800, one record says)	Jacob	12/10/1814	Jacob, Jr. & Eliz. Reichen-Bach
Kerstetter, Peter & Susanna	M. Elizabeth	9/11/1794	Maria Magdalene Kerstetter
" , Sebastian & Eliz.	Leah Lena	11/17/1818	Parents
Ketterman, Samuel & Elizabeth	Andrew W.	5/33/1821	Andrew Maria Shetterly
Kohler, Benjamin & Barbara	Gertrude	8/27/1818	Gertrude Kohler, widow
" , David & Maria	Maria Sarah	7/10/1819	Andrew & Maria Shetterly
	Susanna	1/21/1821	" " " "
Kramer, Frederick & Marie	Elizabeth	12/17/1819	Fred & Elizabeth Hob (Hof?)
Kreitzer, Fred & Sarah Gamby	Elizabeth	3/14/1826	Geo. & Susan Gamby(G-parents)
(d/o Geo. & Susan Gamby)	Eva. Cath.	3/2/1830	Adam & Catherine Nerhood

Wentzel, Christopher & Leah	Jacob	2/18/1819	Fred & Elizabeth Haas
	Elias	3/6/1823	Fred & Maria Kramer
	Judith	12/ 28/1824	Anthony & Susan Berman
Werth (Worth) Adam & Margaret	Infaya(?)	7/22/1817	Christian & Catherine Worth
	Jamanuel	8/18/1819	Jacob & Margaret Roush
	Frederick	9/10/1821	Andrew & Anna Maria Shetterly
	Martin	3/8/1824	Jacob & Margaret Roush
	Joseph	5/18/1825	Henry & Polly Zeller
	William	6/21/1829	Simon & Barbara Roush
Wilt, John & Margaret Zeller d/o John	Barbara	4/5/1818	Barbara Wilt, single
	Andrew	3/14/1829	Parents
Witner, John & Elizabeth Herrold, d/o Simon	Fred	(Bap.) 1/29/1815	Fred Sr. & Catherine Herrold
Womer (Wummer) Dan & Anna Maria	Daniel	5/23/1816	Parents
Wunder, Andrew & Wife	Mathias	9/16/1796	John & Maria Swartz
Yeager, Ben & Rebecca	Benjamin	3/31/1823	Susanna Johnson, single
" , Christopher & Catherine Kerstetter	John	2/18/1811	John & Catherine Yeager
	Catherine	3/29/1812	John & Catherine Zimmerman
	Susanna	6/28/1814	Susanna Yeager, single
	George	11/28/1815	Parents
	David	3/1/1820	Andrew & Anna Maria Shetterly
Yeager, John & Catherine	-----	1/3/1808	Parents
Yochim, John & Sarah	Sarah	12/2/1806	Peter & Eliz. Engelberger
Zeller, Benjamin & Barbara	Susanna	4/23/1821	Henry & Magdalene Zeller
Zeller, George & Maria	John	1/6/1819	" " " "
	Lesi	10/6/1828	George & Rebecca Diehl
" , Henry & Elizabeth Imhof, d/o Carl	Elizabeth	5/28/1818	Elizabeth Fisher, single
	John	12/7/1819	Peter & Elizabeth Moyer
	Susanna	4/--/1821	Henry & Magdalene Zeller
	Isaac	12/23/1825	Parents
	Catherine	9/1/1828	Daniel & Elizabeth Moyer
	John R.	2/22/1831	Rudolph Brugger-Mary Zeller
Zerbe, Reuben & Lydia	Minerva	2/5/1870	Parents

(NOTE: Benjamin & Henry Zeller were sons of John Zeller)

DREISBACH'S LUTHERAN AND REFORMED CHURCH BAPTISMAL RECORD
1774-1322

Translated from the German by Esther Shenk

Alphabetically arranged by Dr. Charles A. Fisher, F. I. A. G. Selingsgrove,Pa.

This church is situated in the beautiful Buffalo Valley, Union County, Pa., about midway between Lewisburg abd Mifflinburg. Settlers began to come into this section as early as 1770, and Lutheran services were held as early as 1771. The congregation was organized about 1773, and the first baptismal record was started in 1774. Dreisbach's was the church home of some noted people of Central Pennsylvania. Since the date ofbirth is of importance than that of the date of baptism, only the birth dates appear.

PARENTS	CHILD	BIRTH	SPONSORS
Alspach, Mathias & Margaret	Jacob	10/26/1792	Parents
Althouse, Elias & Barbara	George	11/3/1774	Joseph Althouse
Bickel, Henry & Easther Scharf	Marg. S.	2/24/1774	Elizabeth Bickel, grandmother
Bitting, John & Hannah	Catherine	7/21/1815	Christian & Catherine Knissley
Baldy, Christopher & Susan	John	3/14/1793	Parents
" , " " Eva Metzger	William	12/30/1809	"
Bauer (Bower) Caleb & Barb.	Salome	12/26/1793	Michael & Barbara Smith
Bailey, George & Magdalene	Magdalene	1/--/1811	Daniel & Rosina Bastian
Bech, John George and wife	Barbara	11/28/1774	Jacob Bech and wife
Bennett, Simon & Elizabeth	David	3/28/1792	Christian & Barbara Bickel
Beer, John & wife	Sarah	11/1/1815	John Scheckler and wife
Berger, Jacob & Barbara	Anna	9/16/1820	Parents
Benfer, Fred & Anna Maria	Geo. Edward	2/24/1823	Magdalene Benfer
Bollender, Henry and wife	George	7/26/1771	Ludwig Deer, founder of Lewisburg
" , John & Juliane	Peter	7/31/1775	Jacob Breck & wife
Bossler, Geo. & Magdalene	Elizabeth	4/30/1812	Catherine Stibley
Brown, William & Magdalene	William	12/25/1818	Parents
Bernhart, Lawrence & Elizabeth	Daniel	9/24/1805	"
" Mathias & Catherine	John	2/26/1806	Lawrence & Elizabeth Bernhart
Biem, George & Magdalena	Daniel	2/20/1806	John & Magdalene Snyder
Christ, Adam & Maria Magdalene	Lilly	2/8/1807	Parents
" Daniel & Martha	Daniel	11/30/1806	"
Chunts (Kuntz?) Christ. & Magd.	Jacob	9/15/1807	"
Derr, Jost & Margaret	Mary Margaret	9/1/1772	Mary Magd. Dill
" , Philip & Anna	Levi	10/27/1820	Luther & Margaret Deimler
Diel, Christian & Regina	Cornelius	6/10/1774	Parents
Dinges (probably Dinius) John & Susanna	Henry	9/5/1823	Michael & Catherine Dinges
Dunkle, Peter & Frany	George	1/14/1808	Solomon & Maria Krack
	Isaac	8/14/1812	John & Catherine Kindig
Ewig, Christian & Magdalene	George Peter	8/20/1775	Jacob Breck
Frantz, Jacob & Anna Maria	Veronica	1/4/1807	John & Elizabeth Frantz
" , John & Elizabeth	Elizabeth	1809	Baptised 6/11/1809
" ,Stephen & Maria Barbara	Ludwig	9/1/1806	Parents
Frederick, Geo. & Maria Engle	Catherine	6/14/1775	Peter Frederick & wife
Frederick, Peter & Elizabeth	Sarah	3/4/1792	Anna Maria Heltman
" , Philip & Christina	Jacob	1/19/1822	Wm. & Helene Frederick
" Wm. & Magdalene	Esther	5/21/1821	Peter Heinly
Focht, Michael Jr. & Eliz. Kline	Sarah	11/24/1805	Michael Sr. & Eliz. Focht
Gephart, Daniel & Hannah	John	4/24/1815	Philip Gephart and wife
	Jacob	4/25/1816	John Heller and wife
Gentzler, Wm. & Anna Maria	Susanna	7/3/1791	Nicholas & Magdalene Stroch
Getz, Henry & Barbara	Elizabeth	2/27/1815	Elizabeth Peters
	Henry	11/10/1821	" "
George, John & Magdalene	Adam	2/13/1808	Fred & Catherine Heiser
Groninger, Joseph & Elizabeth	Benjamin	1794	Baptised 4/20/1794
Gunn (Gann?) John & Catherine	Jacob	2/3/1806	Jacob & Anna Maria Frantz
Hefel, Valentine & wife	Samuel	3/15/1816	John Zimmerman & wife
Heu (Hoy) John & Barbara	Elizabeth	9/22/1793	Elizabeth Heu
Heil, Henry & Anna Maria	Henry	6/9/1807	Jacob & Margaret Shaffer
Heinly, John & Eva	Esther	10/20/1805	Adam & Elizabeth Smith
Herman, Abraham & Elizabeth	Esther	1808	Parents
Himrod, Simon & Maria	Catherine	2/12/1771	Parents

Hoch, Abraham & Esta	John	2/16/1792	Henry Diel
(Ancestors of Esther Ralston, movie actress)			
Hower, Geo. & Catherine	Catherine	2/4/1816	Fred & Maria Meyer
Huber, John & Catherine	John	7/18/1793	John & Elizabeth Howell
Hummel, John & Margaret	Margaret	1/20/1794	Philip Ritter & wife
" , Thomas & wife	John	3/18/1816	Christian Reichley & wife
Kalpetzer, Adam & Sarah	David	10/9/1815	John Oldt & Susan Stein
" Geo. & Elizabeth	Andrew	12/28/1822	And. Benfer & Eliz. Young
" William & wife	Elizabeth	4/25/1816	Elizabeth Kalpetzer
Keil, John & Catherine	Philip Henry	3/6/1820	Philip & Susan Kreigbaum
	Geo. Washington	"	" " " "
Kerstetter, Tobias & Susan	Salome	7/21/1807	Maria Young
	John George	9/10/1808	Parents
Kenner, Fred & Magdalene	Peter	4/14/1812	John & Eliz. Scheckler
Keuer, Benjamin & Sarah	John	2/28/1809	Parents
Kleckner, John & Barbara	Anthony	7/2/1793	Sol mon Kleckner & wife
Klinesmith, John Baltzer & Maria	Daniel	1/9/1773	Parents
Kitschen (maybe Getgen) Elizabeth & Elizabeth	John	3/--/1808	John & Margaret Kitschen
Kreider, John & wife	Jacob	10/3/1773	------- Doutrich
Kuntz, Daniel & Louisa	John George	3/31/1815	Parents
	John	4/8/1817	"
	Daniel	12/26/1819	"
	Susanna	11/27/1821	"
	Simon	5/25/1825	"
Leiby, Jacob & Christina	Jacob	3/16/1812	Geo. & Catherine Hauert
	David	1/14/1819	David & Maria Shaffer
Linn, Daniel & Magdalene	John	2/17/1808	Parents
McDonald, Reynold & Cath.	Catherine	7/24/1774	John Heltman & wife
Metz, Adam & Magdalene	John	3/2/1815	Parents
	a son	11/1/1817	"
Metzger, Jacob & Maria	John George	4/29/1775	George Boop & wife
Meisinger, John & Susanna	Henry	9/7/1891	George & Anna Maria Fisher
Meyer (Moyer) Fred. & Maria	Frederick	3/21/1812	Henry & Maria Heim
Neuhart(Nyhart,Newhart) David & Elizabeth	Eva	2/15/1812	Parents
Nerringong, Jacob & Magdalene	Peter	7/17/1820	"
Ober, Philip & Rosina	Susanna	2/7/1812	Wm. & Susanna Sihr(Sierer)
Peck, Michael & wife	Joseph	3/19/1820	Geo. Moyer & wife
Pfanner, Geo. & Elizabeth	Catherine	8.18/1793	Parents
Pontius, Henry & Cath. Wolf	Henry	9/30/1773	"
Reber, John & Catherine	Jacob	12/25/1805	"
	Margaret	2/24/1808	"
Reedy, Andrew & Anna	Maria Barbara	7/21/1807	Peter & Anna Zeller
	Catherine	9/--/1805	Conrad & Catherine Reedy
Reichart, Geo. & Maria	Margaret	1815	Parents
Renner, Benjamin & Sarah	Benjamin	6/7/1813	"
Renschler, Jacob & Susan Nithy	George	3/27/1820	Mother
Renner, John & Elizabeth (adopted)	John	3/5/1810	Henry Renner
"	Elizabeth	10/14/1810	John Herman
Ritter, Geo. Jr. & Maria	Susanna	1/30/1824	Geo. & Susan Ritter

Rocky, John & Elizabeth	William	4/2/1809	Wm & Margaret Rocky
Schaffner, Jacob & Margaret	Elizabeth	4/25/1814	Elizabeth Schaffner
Schiffler, Daniel & Salome	John George	2/6/1806	Parents
Scheffer(Sheffer) David & Terisa	Samuel	8/9/1814	"
Shaffer, Jacob & wife	Esther	3/9/1816	Esther Shaffer
Shiffer, Daniel & Sarah	Daniel	8/6/1808	Parents
Shuman, Henry & Elizabeth	Frederick	9/26/1818	John & Catherine Neese
Sieber, John & Susanna	John Jacob	9/23/1775	John Stups
Sierer, John Jacob & Magd.	Margaret	7/4/1820	Parents
	Mary Magdalene	2/8/1822	"
	Elizabeth	12/7/1823	"
Smith, Adam & Maria, d/o Francis Ditto, Rev. soldier	Sarah	8/17/1815	Sarah Shaffer
Stichler, Leonard & Catherine	Susanna	11/26/1815	Michael & Susanna Hummel
Stroh, John Nicholas & Magdalene	John Nicholas	2/15/1792	Henry Diel
Stubel, Conrad & Maria	Henry	11/28/1792	Parents
Stober (Stover) Philip & Cath.	Susanna	1/8/1774	Christian & Regina Diel
Sturm, Christian & Margaret	Anna	Bap.6/10/1774	Parents (Name may be Storm)
Spyker, Peter & Sophia	Mary Magd.	5/28/1808	"
	Anna	1/10/1806	"
	Catherine	2/5/1807	"
Snook, John & Elizabeth	Daniel	10/22/1806	Daniel & Martha Christ
Swinehart, Ludwig & Regina	Rebecca	9/22/1791	Nicholas & Magdalene Stroh (Straw)
	Daniel	12/12/1792	Parents
Tillman, John & Elizabeth	David	12/13/1818	David Heinly
	John	12/26/1819	Parents
Tugman(Touchman) Stephen & Barbara	John Stephen	8/10/1775	Catherine Bauer
Uls(probably Ulsh) Geo. & Judith	John	3/20/1814	John Jorden & Barbara Kuhn
Weikert, Geo. & Elizabeth	Anna	4/1/1821	Parents
Welcher(Welker) Leonard & wife	Henry	8/28/1774	Jacob Welker & wife
Wingart, Leonard & Susanna	Jacob	7/22/1815	Parents
Wormley, Geo. & Catherine	Samuel	6/16/1815	"
	Salome	3/5/1806	"
Young, Abraham & Catherine	Jacob	1/18/1807	Abraham & Elizabeth Young
Zeller, John & Anna Catherine	Jonathan	1/10/1806	Benj. & Magdalene Zeller
	Samuel	3/2/1808	Parents
	John	1/21/1812	John Philip Gephart & wife
" , Benj. & Magdalene	Frantz	11/4/1805	Peter & Anna Naria Zeller
	Elizabeth	5/22/1808	Hannah Krack
" , Peter & Anna Maria	Maria Magdalene	3/7/1807	Benj. & Magd. Zeller

Ketterly, Catherine
Klinger, Philip
" , George, his son
Kobel, Daniel
Kump, Mary Elizabeth
Miller, John
" , Maria, his wife
" , Catherine, their daughter
Minium, Anna Maria
Pfeiffer, John G. unmarried
Rebuck, Anne Maria
Reitz, G. Henry
Reitz, Anna Martha, his wife
" , Henry, their son
" , Michael, " "
" , Andrew, " "
Anna Maria, their daughter
Shaffer, John
" , Eva, his wife
" , John Adam, their son
" , Nicholas, " "
" , Andrew, " "
" , Elizabeth, " daughter
Smith, Elizabeth
Snyder, Nicholes
" , Catherine, his wife
" , Margaret, their daughter
Zartman, Henry
" , Elizabeth, his wife
" , Anna Maria
" , Martin, unmarried

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BAPTISMAL RECORD OF HIMMEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
BIRTHS, 1774-1787

Himmel Lutheran Church is located in the southern part of Northumberland County, Pa., and is one of the oldest churches in the county. Settlers came into this section as early as 1765, as squatters on Indian land, but after the treaty with the Indians in 1769, when this area was purchased from them, settlers came more rapidly. Religious services were held in the section in 1771, or before, but it remained for the missionary, Rev. John Michael Enterline, to organize a congregation. The records of this church were recorded from 1776, and it is assumed that this is the date of the formal organization of the congregation. It is not known who translated this record from the German, but Dr. Charles A. Fisher, Selinsgrove, Pa., arranged it alphabetically, giving names of parents, name of child and date of birth of child. In most cases the date of baptism would be in the same year as date of birth. Many of the men of this congregation served in the Revolution.

PARENTS	CHILD	BIRTH DATE
Albert, Peter & Regina	Philipina	3/13/1777
	Peter	8/16/1782
Aman, Philip & Elizabeth	a son	7/5/1785
Althaus, Essias & Catherine Barbara	Daniel	12/--/1776
Baumgardner, Henry & Maria Margaret	Anna Barbara	10/7/1774
Bingaman, John & Anna	Anna Catherine	11/23/1779
	Elizabeth	7/29/1782
	John	9/18/1785
Borrell, John Ge.(son of Anthony & Maria Barbara) & Regina Schuter	John George	7/3/1782
Brosius, John Geo. & Maria Catherine	Maria Catherine	9/20/1779
	John Peter	1/27/1786
" , John Jacob & Margaret	John Jacob	9/27/1786
" , " Nicholas & Maria	John Nicholas	4/30/1780
	John Peter	7/23/1782
	Barnhard or Leonard	2/17/1784
	John Jacob	11/4/1785
Bugart, Martin & wife	Emanuel	7/1/1776
Buhl, John & wife	Maria Elizabeth	4/10/1776
Dunkelberger, Christopher & Elizabeth	Maria Margaret	2/12/1777
	Susanna	12/31/1784
	John	11/11/1785
Emerich, Michael & Catherine (also in Stone Valley Church Record)	Catherine Elizabeth	8/11/1785
Fisher, John & Catherine	Maria Elizabeth	2/21/1775
	John	1/25/1776
" " & Maria Groninger, single	John Henry(illegitimate)	2/20/1776
Furster, John Geo. & Agnes Snyder	Catherine Elizabeth	8/23/1776
	Maria Magdalene	9/13/1777
	John George	3/30/1783
" , Peter & Maria Elizabeth	Maria Elizabeth	1/21/1775
	George	3/24/1777
	John	9/15/1782
	Catherine	1/8/1785
" , William & Magdalene	Anna Maria	9/30/1775
	Andrew	5/19/1780
Groninger, Henry & Anna Maria	Anna Maria	10/1/1781
	Elizabeth	11/15/1782
	John Henry	11/27/1784
	John Peter	3/21/1787
Herter, Jacob & Elizabeth	Jacob	2/3/1786
" , John & Maria Elizabeth	Peter	9/14/1783
	Elizabeth	6/23/1785
	Andreas(Andrew)	1/6/1787
Haupt, Martin & Catherine	Maria Catherine	11/5/1776
Heim, John & Anna Catherine	Elizabeth	11/14/1782
	Anna Maria	9/19/1785
Heim, John George & Rosina	John William	2/27/1775
	John George	12/11/1776
	John Jacob	3/21/1782
	Maria Catherine	3/13/1787
Hettrick, John Adam & Maria Catherine Marie Catherine was a daughter of Nicholas & Barbara Brosius	Anna Barbara	7/24/1782
	Maria Catherine	9/15/1785
	Maria Margaret	1/24/1785
	John Jacob	9/12/1786
Hettrick, Christopher & Anna Barbara	Maria Barbara	11/5/1775
" , John Nicholas & Anna Cath. Brosius	John Peter	6/9/1774
	Maria Elizabeth	9/29/1775
	Anna Margaret	9/8/1783
	George Philip	7/23/1785
	John George	4/10/1787
Jahson, Thomas & Margaret	Catherine	3/29/1786
Kaufman, John Leonard & Elizabeth	John Leonard, Jr.	8/24/1783
Kerstetter, Leonard & Elizabeth	Magdalene	11/2/1782

Klinger, Geo. & Mary Elizabeth	Alexander	6/18/1785
" , Philip & Anna Maria	Elizabeth	6/11/1782
	Hannah	3/24/1784
	Alexander	7/27/1786
Kniss, John & Elizabeth	John Michael	9/16/1785
Kobel, Casper & Anna Maria	Anna Christina	7/17/1774
" " " Catherine	John Frederick	7/7/1777
" " "	Joseph	10/21/1779
" ,Daniel & Maria Barbara	Maria Elizabeth	9/9/1774
	John Nicholas	7/13/1776
" , Henry & Catherine	John	9/16/----
	Maria	5/28/1759
	Elizabeth	7/30/1775
" , Henry & Elizabeth	John & George	9/22/1775
	John Philip	12/31/1776
	Anton	10/24/1779
	Frederick	1/7/1783
	Susanna	2/22/1785
	Catherine	8/25/1786
Kunselman, Philip & Barbara	John	10/11/1775
Lefler, Henry & Elizabeth	Jannet	1/25/1783
" , John & Catherine	John Henry	5/15/1785
" , Philip & Catherine	Susan Maria	12/30/1776
	John Philip	8/24/1782
	Elizabeth	3/19/1785
Maurer, Peter & Catherine	John Philip	1/8/1786
Mengel, Christopher & Anna Maria	Elizabeth	6/24/1785
Miniam(Minium) Henry & Catherine	John Jacob	8/17/1783
	John	8/2/1785
" Jacob & Anna Maria	Susanna Sophia	10/19/1775
Nicholas, Conrad & Anna Barbara	John Peter	7/5/1782
Ochaenreiter, Jacob & Barbara	John Jacob	10/5/1775
	John Nicholas	10/2/1780
Ostman, James & Margaret	Elizabeth	5/24/1786
Pfeifer, John George & Magdelene Shaffer	Maria Barbara	2/21/1782
(daughter of John & Maria Elizabeth	John George	8/22/1783
	Maria Elizabeth	5/8/1785
Philips, John & Magdalene	Magdalene	7/27/1774
	Elizabeth	3/13/1777
	John Jacob	11/13/1779
Rebock(Rabuck) Valentine & Barbara	John Peter	9/21/1774
Reid, John & Dorothea	George Henry	4/7/1775 twin
	John Peter	" "
	Philip	6/11/1777
" , Michael & Susanna	John Nicholas	1781
	Leonard	6/25/1786
Reitz, Andrew & Margaret	Maria Elizabeth	2/18/1782
(Andrew, Henry & Michael were sons	Maria Margaret	9/4/1783
of G. Henry & Anna Martha Reitz)	John Nicholas	3/12/1785
Reitz, Henry & Eleanor	George Leonard	8/30/1781
" Michael & Elizabeth	John Michael	8/12/1785
Shaffer, Geo. & Susanna	John	2/26/1787
" , John & Magdalene	John	8/1/1785
" , Michael & wife	John Nicholas	8/24/1782

Shreyer(Schreyer) Ludwig & Hannah	John Adam	6/25/1775
Shwenkenhaupt (Schwenkenhaupt) Conrad and Susanna	Martin	4/3/1786
" " Henry & Catherine	John George	8/29/1785
" " George & Elizabeth	George Leonard	3/25/1787
Smith, Peter & Elizabeth	John Jacob	9/1/1774
	Andrew	3/8/1781 twin
	Maria Elizabeth	" "
" , Peter & Anna Maria	John	3/5/1775
Snyder, John Henry & Maria Catherine	John	6/29/1776
" , Casper & Elizabeth Furster	Maria	6/24/1782
Stauchm Jacob & Catherine	John	1/21/1784
	Anna Maria	9/26/1785
	Susanna Sophia	3/14/1787
Stutzman, Christopher & Elizabeth	John Adam	2/11/1787
Thompson, William & Rosanna	Hannah	5/19/1775
	Henry	4/19/1777
Troutman, Peter & Elizabeth	Eve Elizabeth	2/15/1776
Winkleman, Mathias & Catherine Steffen	Geo. Frederick	7/5/1782
(daughter of John Adam Steffen, Sr.)		
Zartman, Henry & Elizabeth	Sophia	3/12/1785
" , Martin & Susanna	Elizabeth	4/27/1780
	John Martin	11/11/1781
	Benjamin	3/13/1783
	William	5/28/1785
	Barbara	4/21/1787
Zartman, Peter & Catherine	Peter	10/9/1785
	Christopher	4/9/1787

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BAPTISMAL RECORD OF THE STONE VALLEY LUTHERAN CHURCH BIRTHS 1774-1806

This church was started by the Lutheran Missionary, Rev. John Michael Enterline. He came into the southern part of Northumberland County, Penna., in 1773, and preached at various places. Among others, he organized the church at Stone Valley and the one at Himmels. It is thought that services were held at irregular times prior to the organization of the congregation at Stone Valley, and the beginning of the baptismal and communion records in 1777. Settlers came into this section probably as early as 1765, but schools and churches were not organized at once. All the original records were in German, and have been translated, in most cases, within the past ten years. This record was arranged alphabetically by Dr. Charles A. Fisher, Selinsgrove, Pa., who also added certain other pertinent information. Many of the men of this congregation served in the American Revolution. The translators did not include the date of baptism, since the date of birth is more valuable.

PARENTS	CHILD	BIRTH	SPONSORS
Alleman, Peter & wife	Jonas	9/18/1775	Jonas & Elizabeth Joachim
	John Jacob	10/18/1776	Sebastian & Margaret Brosius
	Catherine B.	1/31/1780	Nicholas & Juliana Schaffer
	Elizabeth	3/21/1786	Mich. & Cath. Yeakly Lenker
	Geo. Daniel	1/15/1789	Nicholas & Maria Magd. Bopp

Bopp(Bobb) John Nicholas & Magdalene	John Nicholas	2/16/1777	Nich. Brosius-Eliz. Shaffer
	Juliana	7/21/1774	Juliana Brosius, single
	Cath. Eliz.	6/23/1780	Jacob Kreiger & wife
	Michael	10/17/1782	Sebastian Brosius & wife
	John	9/21/1784	Frank & Elizabeth Shaffer
	Elizabeth	11/2/1786	Elizabeth Kruger
	John Philip	9/28/1789	John & Barbara Seiler
Brosius, Nicholas & Anna	Maria Eliz.	8/10/1780	Nicholas Bopp & wife
	Anna Cath.	2/5/1782	Jonas & Eliz. Joachim
	Sophia Charl.	7/1/1785	Geo. & Sophia Charlotta Bender
	John George	3/25/1788	John Geo. & Susanna Brosius
" , Gabriel & Maria Barb.	Anna Barbara	4/10/1785	Benj. &Christina Keyel Eberit
	Cath. Eliz.	5/22/1785	Jacob & Magd. Moyer Spatz
Bernold, Casper & Maria	Catherine	2/7/1781	Parents
Bender, John Geo. &Charlotta	Maria Magd.	6/9/1779	----- Brosius & wife
	John	9/3/1787	Nicholas & Anna Cath. Brosius
Billman, Peter & Catherine	Charlotte	11/12/1781	Geo. & Margaret Bender
Emerich, Conrad & wife	Peter	1/1/1798	Peter Metz--Anna Eve Alleman
" , Michael & wife	Samuel	12/9/1786	Martin Pontius & wife
	John George	3/9/1788	John Geo. & Susanna Brosius
Hane, Henry & Maria Sarah	Anna Eliz.	4/24/1786	Francis & Anna Maria Shaffer
Haun, Maximilian & Eliz. Leffler	----	7/27/1778	Daniel Shaffer & wife
Heckart, Casper & Catherine	Catherine	8/20/1785	John & Catherine Deiterick
Hollenbach, Geo. & Hannah	Michael	9/16/1806	Jacob & Christina Shaffer
Hoock, Philip & Charlotta	Susanna	1/31/1806	Susanna Hoffman
Jadel, John George & Anna	John Michael	5/9/1774	Michael Lenker
	John Jacob	4/11/1777	Jacob & Catherine Kreiger
	Nicholas	4/14/1780	Nicholas & Magdalene Bopp
Joachim, Jonas & Elizabeth	Elizabeth	3/23/1779	George & Charlotta Lenker
Julp, Michael & wife	John Michael	9/26/1793	Michael Lenker & mother, Juliana
Kemp, Deitrick & Anna	John Peter	3/29/1779	Peter & Catherine Alleman
	John Michael	6/29/1780	Michael ----
Kempel, John & Anna Maria	John	10/24/1785	Nicholas & Anna Wager Brosius
	John Peter	8/6/1787	Peter & Catherine Alleman
Kerstetter, Sebastian & Cath.	Elizabeth	7, 29/1782	John Sihrig-Eliz. Bender
" , Leonard & Christina	Leonard	2/7/1783	Jacob - Cath. Kerstetter
" , Henry & Christina Lenker	George	12/28/1785	Geo. & Eliz. Lenker
Kim, Deitrick & Hannah Wittman	Hannah	4/11/1786	Henry & Maria Sarah Kim Hane
Kniss, John & Elizabeth	Barbara	9/20/1777	Barbara Kniss-- single
Kopp, John Adam & Esther	John Adam	6/21/1778	Jacob Kreiger & wife
" , George Catherine	David	10/30/1775	Peter & Catherine Alleman
	John Deitrick	8/6/1781	L. & Elizabeth Spate
Kreiger, Jacob & Catherine	Eva Margaret	2/28/1777	Marg. Brosius-John Geo. Brosius
	Cath. Eliz.	6/15/1780	Nicholas Shaffer & wife
Laer(Lahr) Paul & wife	John & Nicholas twins	1806	
Leffler, Henry & Elizabeth	Elizabeth	4/3/1785	Martin & Elizabeth Kerstetter
	Henry	2/9/1789	John & Barbara Seil

Ludwig, Samuel & Maria Cath. Spatz	John Jacob	1/6/1786	John Jacob & Magdalene Spatz
Lasch, John Stephen & Margaret	" "	6/10/1786	Christopher & Eva Witmer
Lenker, Michael & Anna	Benjamin	8/19/1786	Jacob & Martin Shaffer
Miller, John & Frances	John Peter	5/17/1780	Peter & Catherine Alleman
	Jacob	7/20/1782	Jacob Bender-Cath. Kerstetter
	Anna	"	Bernard & Christina "
Reid, Samuel & wife	John	6/17/1777	Jacob Thomas
Raup, Deitrick & Anna	John	6/6/1777	Martin & Eliz. Kerstetter
	John Nicholas	11/16/1782	Nicholas & Magdalene Bopp
Reuter, Wm. & Elizabeth Latsha	John George	8/10/1786	Geo. & Magdalene Hill Reuter
Schnerer, Ludwig & Joanna	Juliana	7/1/1786	Sebast. & Susan Steinbrecher
Schreyer " "	Elizabeth	4/20/1779	Elizabeth Lenker, single
Seiler, Jost & Elizabeth	Frederick	10/24/1785	Fred & Magd. Tachopp
Shaffer, John & wife	Juliana	9/5/1787	Nicholas & Magdalene Bopp
" , Michael & Anna	Maria Magd.	4/5/1778	" " " "
" , Nicholas & Juliana	Cath. Eliz.	2/11/1781	Jacob & Catherine Krieger
" , Francis & Eliz.	John Geo.	2/28/1778	John German-Juliana Brosius
" , Geo. & wife	Maria Cath.	6/6/1780	Michael Lenker & wife
Sihrig, Luther & Anna	Anna Magd.	12/21/1782	Nicholas & Magd. Bopp
Snyder, Geo. & wife	Susanna	9/--/1778	Deitrick Steinbrach
" , Jacob & Anna Maria	Adam	5/11/1786	Sebastian Steinbrecher & wife
Steinbrecher, John Deitrick & wife	Anna Cath	12/9/1786	Jacob & Cath. Valentine Lenker
" , Sebastian & wife	John Deit'k	4/26/1781	
	Christiana	10/20/1787	Deitrick & Christiana Steinbrech
Thomas, John Henry & Elizabeth	John Henry	3/18/1785	John & Anna Cath. Wolf
Walker, John & wife	Anna	3/7/1780	Sebastian Kerstetter & wife
	David	10/31/1781	" & Margaret Brosius
	Elias	2/13/1785	Daniel & Eliz. Jury Brosius
" , Peter & wife	William	--/25/1780	Peter & Catherine Alleman
" , Robert & Jennie	Christina	7/13/1777	John German-Margaret Brosius
	Helena	4/2/1785	Peter & Anna Maria Kempel
Weis, John & Elizabeth	Daniel	6/3/1806	John & Susanna Heller
Wilt, Michael & Margaret	John	5/5/1782	John Kaster-Catherine Wilt
Witmer, Henry & Cath. Lasch	Samuel	12/25/1785	Andrew Lasch-Hahnah Shaffer
" , Milford & wife	Maria Sarah	11/3/1788	Heinrich & Maria Sarah Hehn
Wolf, John & Anna Catherine	John Jacob	1/26/1783	Jacob Scherab
	Hannah Cath.	2/19/1785	Mrs. Hannah Shaffer

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ZION (MOSELEM) LUTHERAN CHURCH, BERKS COUNTY, PA.

This congregation was organized in 1743, or before. A record of the activities of this church has been kept from 1743. It is located at Moselem Springs, east of Reading, in Richmond Township, Berks County, Pa. It's records contain the names of many families which later migrated to other sections. Below is given a part of the Birth Record.

REYNOLDS HISTORICAL
GENEALOGY COLLECTION

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA MARRIAGES

1700-1896

KERSTETTER

Compiled by

CHARLES A. FISHER

GENEALOGICAL PUBLISHING CO., INC.

	Herman, John	Snyder	———Miller, 1st wife
	Henry, James	Bedford	Elizabeth ———
	Henderson, Matthew	Cumberland	Margaret H. ———
	Hessler, Ens. John	Snyder	Susanna ———
ca. 1751	Herrold, Capt. J. George	"	Anna Maria Elizabeth Benesch
1775	" John	Westmoreland	Barbara Altman
ca. 1780	" Lt. Simon	Snyder	Elizabeth ———
	Hettrick, Christian	Union	Agnes ———
1785	Hill, Henry	Northumberland	Rachool Swartz (Peter, Sr.)
4/1/1784	Histed, Thaddeus	Erie	Esther Sayles
	Histed, Abraham	Northampton	Magdalene Strickler
	Hillis, Dr. William	Washington	Jane Carruthers
	Hinkle, Nathan	Lancaster	Marie Magdalene Zureker
1784	" Wendell	"	Elizabeth Fox
	Hobaugh, Philip	(8th Pa.)	Catherine Huver (Huber, Hoover)
	Hoffman, Christian	Dauphin	Susan Deibler (Albright)
	" John	"	———Kauffman
4/22/1772	" J. Nicholas	"	Margaret Harman, Berks County
11/14/1776	Holliday, Adam	Bedford	Sarah Campbell
	" Capt. John	Blair	Dorcas ———
	" William, Sr.	"	Mary McClellan
ca. 1797	" Samuel	Erie	Jeannotte Campbell
	Hoffman, Henry	(Indiana)	Margaret Boo 1st wife
12/25/1788	" "		Mary Ann Drum, 2nd wife
	Hogeland, Capt. John	Washington	Jane ———
	Holeman, Eli	Union	Agnes McGrady (Alexander)
	Holmes, William	Cumberland	Elizabeth Love
	Hood, William	Northumberland	——Lee (maybe daughter of Maj.John)
	Horton, Daniel	Chester	Martha Terry
1/6/1803	Hoskinson, Basil	Erie	Eleanor Downs
	Hostorman, Jacob, Jr.	Center	Christina ———
	Hosterman, Col. Peter	Snyder	Elizabeth ———
	Houser, Jacob	"	Susanna ———
	" Martin, Sr.	Cumberland	Elizabeth Hess
	" " Jr.	"	Mary Snavely
5/6/1773	Houston, Dr. John	Lancaster	Susan Wright
6/28/1773	Hubbell, John, Jr.	Erie	Sarah Curtis
	Huber, Henry	Montour	Margaret Kern
4/11/1763	Huck (Hucki), Paul	Berks	Juliana Zweier
	Huff, Benjamin	Warren	Mary ———
	Huckleberry, George	Westmoreland	Rosanna Wise
	Huffman, John	Lancaster	Margaret,Upp, 1st wife
1786	" "	"	Nancy Sprenkle, 2nd wife
	Hulbert, John	Erie	Lucy ———
ca. 1788	Hueings, Thomas	Perry	Elizabeth Watts (Gen. Fred)
1787	Hume, John	Lancaster	———Crawford
	Hummel, Geo. Adam	Snyder	Magdalene ———
3/3/1789	" J. George	Northumberland	Christiana ———
	" Frederick, Sr.	Dauphin	Rosina ——— 1st wife
1769	" Frederick, Sr.	"	Barbara Blessing, 2nd wife
	" Frederick, Jr.	"	Rachael Rickert (Jacob)
	" David	"	Mary Toot (David)
	Hunter, James, Sr.	Erie	Elizabeth Hunter, Dauphin Co.
1796	Hunt, Josiah	(8th Pa.)	Bethia Reeve
	Hunter, John	Cumberland	Mary ———
	" Patrick	Washington	Nancy Jack
3/25/1786	Huston, Mathias	Northumberland	Hannah Cox, Philadelphia, Pa.
	" Lt. William		Susanna ———
	Iddings, William	Union	Eve ———
ca. 1782	Irwin, John	Cumberland	Mary Welsh

	Irwin, Capt William	Union	———Armstrong, 1st wife
	" " "	"	Jane Forster (John)
	Isherwood, P. Francis	Erie	Elizabeth ———
1/3/1782	Jackson, Lyman	"	Dodamia Durham, Pownal, Vt.
	Jacquet, Lt. Joseph	(1st Pa.)	Susan ———
	Jarrett, Lt. Jacob	Snyder	Catherine Ott (J. George)
1781	John, Jehu	Chester	Elizabeth David
	Johnston, Lt. Michael	Lancaster	Ruth ———
1793	" Thomas	?	Sarah Foster
4/17/1775	Jones, Benjamin	Union	Rachael ———
	" Isaiah	Warren	Mary Randolph, 1st wife
	" "	"	Mary Lindsey, (David), 2nd wife
	Jordan, John	Chester	Sarah Scott
9/7/1786	Judd, Freeman, Sr.	Erie	Deborah Boughton, Norwalk, Conn.
1787	Justice, James	Cumberland	Nancy Campbell
	Kantz, Christian	Snyder	Anna Margaret Menges (J. Adam)
	Kauffman, Philip	Northumberland	Magdalene Seaman
1786	Kean, John	Dauphin	Mary Whitehill (Robert)
1788	Keesling, John	Berks	Eva Miller
	Kelker, Anthony	Dauphin	Mary Magdalene Meister (George)
	Keller, John	Blair	Dorothea ———
1765	" John Christian	Dauphin	Catherine Dolp (J. Nicholas)
1780	Kelly, John	Erie	Mary Robinson
	Kelly, Maj. John	Union	Sarah Poak (James)
	Kemplin, Capt. Thomas	"	Mary ———
	Kennedy, Dr. Samuel	Chester	Sarah ———
	Kepler, John	Northampton	Helen De. Avarie
	" Matthias	?	Elizabeth Shaffer
	Kern, J. Yost	Snyder	Eva Maria Weiss of Germany
1785	Kerstetter, George	"	Elizabeth Snyder
	" Leonard, Jr.	"	Catherine Richter (Christian)
	" Martin	"	Elizabeth ———
	Kesler, Jacob	York	Catherine ———
	Kessler, George	Snyder	Barbara Braucher
	Kestler (Kneedler)Fred	Northumberland	Catherine
	Kidd, Robert	(New York)	Jane ———
1781 or 1782	Kilburn, Benjamin	Cumberland	Diana Denning, Carlisle, Pa.
	Kindig, Jacob	Snyder	Mrs. John Snyder
	King, Adonijah	Erie	Diadema ——— 1st wife
6/1/1786	King, "	"	Rachael Bliss(Tim),Royalston,Mass
	" Capt. Robert	"	Mary McCullough
	Kinney, Jacob	Snyder	Catherine ———
ca. 1776	Kinsloe, Patrick	Mifflin	Dorothy West
ca. 1772	Kinter, Philip	Erie	Mary ———
	Kirk, William	Cumberland	Jane ———
1784	Kimmer (Keimer),Nicholas	(4th Pa.)	Sarah Taylor
1778	Kleckner, John	Union	Anna B. Koch of Northampton Co.
	Kline, Barnhart	Snyder	Margaret ———
	Klinesmith, Baltzer	Union	Mary ———
	Klase, Valentine	Northumberland	Mary Eva Smith
	Klose, Ernest	Northampton	Margaret ———
	Knouse, Christian	"	Elizabeth Hoffman
1780	" Abraham	"	Elizabeth Boeckel (Bickel)
ca. 1767	" Daniel	Lehigh	Elizabeth Ritter
ca. 1755	" "	Northampton	Salome ———
	" David	"	Christina ———
3/17/1771	" Geo. Frederick	"	———Rhoads (Francis William) 1st
	" " "	"	Mary M. Seeger (J. Christian)
	" Gottfried, Jr.	"	Anna Maria Griesemer (John)

Preface.

Having completed in 1889 a collection of Marriage Records of Snyder County and published them in a book of 266 pages, I conceived the idea of publishing the inscriptions of the Tombstones of Snyder County. This volume is the result of those plans.

The inscriptions here given have been published from time to time in the Middleburg Post for the past five years. The first section was published January 26, 1899, another August 3, 1899 and others more or less regular ever since.

According to the table of Contents on the preceding page there are a total of 8642 inscriptions recorded in the book. This "Inscription" book is a companion volume to the "Marriage" book.

Unfortunately for posterity, quite a great many graves are unmarked. For such graves no record could be made. In a few instances, however, the reporters gathered data of unmarked graves from friends of the deceased. We simply did the best we were able to do.

This book, like its predecessor from my pen, has been the product of utilizing moments hastily snatched from a busy editorial chair and the active duties of managing a publishing and printing business.

We submit this volume to the public with a sigh of relief after five years since its inception. Should any errors occur, we ask the kindly forbearance of the reader, as under the adverse circumstances with which this book has been produced, we could scarcely expect to avoid all of them.

Geo. W. Wagenseller

MIDDLEBURG, PA., March 1904.

KERSTETTER

Tombstone Inscriptions

A Collection Made from all the Burying Grounds in Snyder County.

Reported by R F. Smith.

Adams Township.

ST. PETER'S CEMETRY—This cemetry is located 2¼ miles south-east of Troxelville and contains 45 bodies and 36 tombs without marks. The nine marked are as follows:

Gill, Daniel, b July 2, 1814; d Mar 1, 1894, aged 79 y.

Gill, Hannah, w of Daniel, b Oct 17, 1829; d Nov 24, 1894, a 65 y.

Kratzer, Amelia, w ot Henry, b May 8, 1829; d Aug 30, 1889, aged 58 y.

Kratzer, Henry, b Mar 29, 1819; d Oct 23, 1887, aged 68 y.

Keller, Elizabeth, b Jan 5, 1798; d Feb 28, 1875, aged 77.

Sattler, Catherine, d. 1893.

Thomas, Edith M., dau of Henry and Emma, d Oct 14, 1893, aged 1 y 7 m 11 d.

Thomas, Elsie C. dau of Peter and M. A., d Sept 18, 1888, aged 2 y 2 m.

Thomas, Peter, b Oct 8, 1819; d Jan 26, 1887, aged 67 y 3 m 18 d.

ST. JAMES, OLD LUTHERAN—located at Troxelville, has 53 inscriptions and 24 unmarked graves. The inscriptions are:

Bingaman, Elizabeth, w of F. H., b Sept 14, 1830; d Feb 12, 1892, aged 61 y 4 m 28 d.

Bingaman, Minnie, dau of C. U. an A., d July 8, 1889, aged 1 9 m 14 d.

Bingaman, Carrie L., dau of R. J and L., d Nov 17, 1887, age 1 y 7 m 9 d.

Breininger, ———. infant dau Harrison aud S. T., d Nov 12 1883, aged 7 m 20 d.

Bingaman, Emma J., dau of R. J and L., d Feb 10, 1882, age 5 y 4 m 20 d.

Bickel, Franklin H., s of Isaac an Susan, d June 19, 1886, age 10 y 2 m 24 d.

Bickel, Jacob, b. Jan 20, 1802; May 10, 1884, aged 82 y 3 20 d.

Boyer, Elizabeth, w of Daniel, Oct 7, 1814; d Dec 5, 188 aged 72 y 1 m 28 d.

Bingaman, infant of Joshua an Annie, d July 3, 1886.

Ewig, Susan, w of George, d Au 28, 1888, aged 41 1 m 24 d.

well, Catharine, dau of Jacob H. and S., b Mar 17, 1875, aged 19 d.

well, Cora M., dau of J. and S., b Sept 24, 1879; d Sept 20, 1881, aged 1 y 11 m 26 d.

well, Susan M., dau of John C. and B., d Aug 28, 1872, aged 10 y 23 d.

well, Wm. Franklin, s of John C. and B., b Mar 15, 1852; d Feb 1, 1865, aged 13 y 10 m 16 d.

well, Charles W., s of Jacob H., and S., d Sept 2, 1872, aged 8 m 16 d.

ssinger, Mariah, w of D., b Oct 25, 1814; d Aug 27, 1872, aged 57 y 10 m 2 d.

assinger, Daniel, b May 21, 1813; d Apr 22, 1884, aged 70 y 11 m 1 d.

assinger, Dora A., dau of D. and C., d May 25, 1881, aged 2 y 8 m.

itterdantive, Marvhitter, w of John, dau of Jacob and Magdalena Rode, b Feb 11, 1773; d Mar 15, 1839, aged 66 y 1 m 4 d.

ouser, Jacob, d Mar 16, 1889, aged 75 y 10 m 8 d.

ouser, Sarah, w of Jacob, d Nov 16 1884, aged 68 y 23 d.

enry, Mary, b July 12; d Oct 11, aged 18 y 8 m.

ughes, Jennie, dau of J. and C., d Oct 19, 1886, aged 1 y 2 m 7 d.

eater, John A., s of W. and E., b Oct 15, 1846; d Feb 20, 1862, aged 15 y 4 m 5 d.

acobson, Lewis, b Dec 25, 1799; d Aug 21, 1869, aged 69 y 8 m 6 d.

Knepp, Carrie M., dau of M. D. M. E., d May 6, 1874, aged 1 m.

Knepp, Maria, w of Reuben, d Oct 31, 1897, aged 69 y 3 m 17 d.

Knepp, Mary, d Apr 16, 1884, aged 72 y 2 m 3 d.

Knepp, A. Howard, s of Jesse and Sarah, b July 18, 1855; d Sept 6, 1862, aged 7 y 1 m 18 d.

Knepp, Ammon Ambreus, s of Valentine and Sarah, d May 12, 1873, aged 2 y 5 m 10 d.

Knepp, James A., s of Joseph and Delilah, b Apr 2, 1864; d June 13, 1873, aged 9 y 2 m 11 d.

Knepp, infant dau of S. A., d June 24, 1861, aged 29 d.

Knepp, Peter, b Dec 10, 1789, d Jan 13, 1854, aged 64 y 1 m 3 d.

Knepp, Catharine, w of Peter, b Sept 15, 1792; d July 6, 1858, aged 65 y 9 m 21 d.

Knepp, Isaac, d Mar 31, 1881, aged 63 y 2 d.

Knepp, Eliza Ann, dau of D. and M., d Mar 16, 1849, aged 14 3 m 3 d.

Knepp, Catharine, w of Daniel, b Feb 6, 1790; d May 5, 1825, aged 35 y 2 m 29 d.

Knepp, Anna B., w of Henry, d Apr 24, 1885, aged 65 y 6 m 16 d.

Knepp, George, d Oct 6, 1871, aged 64 y 1 m 2 d.

Knepp, Daniel, b Sept 26, 1783; d Sept 28, 1868, aged 85 y 1 d.

Knepp, Elizabeth, w of Daniel, b Dec 6, 1818; d May 17, 1861, aged 42 y 7 m 11 d.

St Paul's Cemetery

Knepp, Samuel, b Oct 3, 1815; d Apr 18, 1891, aged 72 y 6 m 15 d.

Knepp, John, d July 23, 1873, aged 55 y 1 m 18 d.

Knepp, Catharine, w of John, d Sept 5, 1881, aged 61 y 1 m 25 d.

Knepp, George, d Aug 20, 1874, aged 72 y 10 m 15 d.

Knepp, Mary A., w of George, d Nov 13, 1876, aged 74 y 6 m.

Knepp, Valentine, d Mar 31, 1881, aged 46 y 4 m 13 d.

Knepp, Hiram, s of H. R. and A. B., b Jan 25, 1848; d July 23, 1871, aged 23 y 5 m 28 d.

Knepp, Susan, w of Isaac, aged 20 y 10 m 11 d.

Knepp, Maria, w of Reuben, d Oct 31, 1897, aged 67 y 3 m 17 d.

Knepp, George, b Dec 27, 1781; d Dec 22, 1851, aged 69 y 11 m 25 d.

Knepp, Maria, b June 15, 1781; d Dec 15, 1860, aged 79 y 4 m.

Knepp, Daniel, b Apr 12, 1805; d Feb 5, 1853, aged 47 y.

Knepp, Maria, w of Daniel, d July 24, 1865, aged 60 y.

Knepp, Edward H., s of G. and S., b Oct 18, 1838; d Aug 23, 1862, aged 23 y 10 m 25 d.

Kreepp, Ira Oscar, s of J. and D., d June 14, 1888, aged 2 y 7 m 20 d.

Knepp, infant child of C. H. and A. M., d Nov 1; 1894, aged 3 d.

Knepp, Maggie, dau of J and D., d Dec 15, 1888, aged 8 y 1 m 9 d.

Knepp, Ralph, s of A. and S., d Oct 16, 1889, aged 2 m 25 d.

Kerstetter, Edward, s of W. and L., d May 14, 1873, aged 10 y 4 m 18 d.

Kerstetter, William, d Oct 25, 1891, aged 61 y 4 m 15 d.

Kerstetter, William C., s of W. and L., d Nov 12, 1871, aged 5 y 10 d.

Kerstetter, Simon, b Mar 19, 1789; d Dec 6, 1859, aged 70 y 8 m 18 d.

Kerstetter, Elizabeth, d Sept 13, 1880, aged 91 y 1 m 28 d.

Kerstetetter, Henry E., s of W. and L., d Mar 14, 1867, aged 11 m.

Kalpetzer, Elizabeth, w of James, d Oct 4, 1885, aged 75 y 6 m.

Kalpetzer, James, d Mar 24, 1889, aged 80 y 8 m 5 d.

Kaltriter, Mary E., dau of W. and J., d Mar 6, 1868, aged 4 y 26 d.

Krick, Delilah, w of Wm., d May 2, 1875, aged 38 y 11 m 18 d.

Krick, Malinda, w of Wm., d ~~May 2, 1875, aged 38 y 11 m 18 d.~~ Jan 28 1869 aed. 38 yrs, 2 m. 27 d

Krick, Rebecca, dau of Wm. and M., d Sept 22, 1867, aged 1 y 11 m 5 d.

Kline, Catharine, b Mar 9, 1842; d Aug 2, 1863, aged 21 y 4 m 23 d.

Kline, Lydia, d Aug 18, 1872, aged 2 y 8 m 17 d.

Kline, Sarah E., w of Levi, d May 14, 1889, aged 34 y 6 m 21 d.

Kline, Rebecca, w of John, b Oct 18, 1818; d Feb 2, 1899, aged 80 y 3 m 15 d.

Kline, Sarah E., w of Levi, d May 14, 1889, aged 34 y 6 m 21 d.

Krick, Wm. died Aug 9, 19[illegible]
aged [illegible], 4 m, 13 d

d May 26, 1876, aged 14 y [illegible] m 13 d.

Kennedy, William, d Oct 25, 1891, aged 31 y 4 m 13 d.

Kennedy, William C., s of W. and L., d Nov 12, 1871, aged 5 m 10 d.

Kennedy, James, b Mar 18, 1780; d Dec 8, 1859, aged 79 y 8 m 18 d.

Kennedy, Elizabeth, d Sept 15, 1890, aged 91 y 1 m 23 d.

Kennedy, Henry L., s of W. and L., d Mar 14, 1871, aged 11 m.

Kalpner, Elizabeth, w of James, d Oct 4, 1836, aged 75 y 0 m

Kalpner, James, d Mar 24, 1830, aged 80 y 1 m 5 d.

Kahler, Mary E., dau of W. and A., d Mar 9, 1868, aged 4 y 29 d.

Kern, Daniel, s of Wm., d May 2, 1875, aged 25 y 11 m 12 d.

Kerch, Malinda, w of W[illegible] [illegible]

Kern, Rebecca, dau of Wm. and M., d Sept 23, 1867, aged 1 y 11 m 5 d.

Kline, Catharine, b Mar 9, 1793; d Aug 3, 1865, aged 72 y 4 m 25 d.

Kline, Lydia, d Jan 16, 1873, aged 2 y 2 m 17 d.

Kline, Sarah E., w of Levi, d Mar 14, 1880, aged 31 y 1 m 21 d.

Kline, Rebecca, w of John, b Oct 16, 1826; d Feb 2, 1876, aged 49 y 3 m 16 d.

Kline, Sarah E., w of Levi, d Mar 11, 1888, aged 21 y 0 m 11 d.

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Koons, Samuel, b Jan 8, 1815; d Apr 18, 1876, aged 71 y 3 m 10 d.

Koons, John, d July 26, 1879, aged 53 y 1 m 13 d.

Koons, Catharine, w of John, d Sept 3, 1851, aged 61 y 1 m 25 d.

Koons, George, d Aug 29, 1874, aged 72 y 10 m 10 d.

Koons, Mary A., w of George, d Dec 13, 1876, aged 74 y 7 m.

Koons, Valentine, d Mar 31, 1831, aged 49 y 1 m 19 d.

Koons, Henry, s of M. E. and A. E., b Jan 25, 1849; d July 22, 1871, aged 22 y 6 m 28 d.

Koons, Susan, w of Isaac, aged 70 y 10 m 11 d.

Koons, Mark, w of Esther, d Oct 31, 1847, aged 67 y 5 m 11 d.

Koons, George, b Dec 27, 1781; d Dec 22, 1851, aged 69 y 11 m 25 d.

Koons, Maria, b June 11, 1781; d Dec 15, 1860, aged 79 y 6 m.

Koons, Daniel, b Apr 12, 1809; d Feb 8, 1855, aged 45 y.

Koons, Maria, w of Daniel, d Jan 24, 1881, aged 69 y.

Koons, Edward S., s of G. and S. S., b Oct 18, 1836; d Aug 31, 1862, aged 25 y 10 m 13 d.

Koons, Ira Chas., s of A. and E., d June 16, 1858, aged 2 y 2 m 7 d.

Koons, infant child of U. R. and A. M., d Nov 1, 1856, aged 8 d.

Koons, Margaret, dau of A. and E., d Dec 16, 1849, aged 4 y 1 m 8 d.

Koons, Ralph, s of A. and E., d Oct 16, 1849, aged 4 m 25 d.

Koons, Carrie M., dau of M. B. and M. E., d Mar 4, 1874, aged 1 m.

Koons, Annie, w of Daniel, d Oct 21, 1857, aged 17 y 3 m 17 d.

Koons, Mary, d Apr 10, 1864, aged 73 y 6 m 8 d.

Koons, A. Horace, s of James and Sarah, b July 19, 1870; d Sept 6, 1877, aged 7 y 1 m 18 d.

Koons, Amanda Antoinette, dau of William and Sarah, d May 15, 1873, aged 2 y 2 m 10 d.

Koons, James A., s of Joseph and Dorilda, b Apr 7, 1861; d June 18, 1878, aged 17 y 2 m 11 d.

Koons, infant dau of S. A. and M. Jane, d Jan 26, 1861, aged 29 d.

Koons, Peter, b Dec 10, 1789; d Jan 13, 1854, aged 64 y 1 m 3 d.

Koons, Catharine, w of Peter, b Sept 10, 1779; d Feb 3, 1859, aged 80 y 4 m 21 d.

Koons, Susan, d Mar 31, 1891, aged 55 y 2 d.

Koons, Ellen Ann, dau of D. and M., d Mar 10, 1840, aged 14 y 5 m 8 d.

Koons, Catharine, w of Daniel, b Feb 3, 1789; d May 3, 1850, aged 60 y 2 m 28 d.

Koons, Anne E., w of Henry, d Mar 14, 1880, aged 63 y 0 m 10 d.

Koons, George, d Oct 5, 1871, aged 54 y 1 m 3 d.

Koons, Daniel, b Sept 26, 1792; d Sept 22, 1863, aged 70 y 11 m 26 d.

Koons, Elizabeth, w of Daniel, b Jan 6, 1834; d Mar 17, 1881, aged 47 y 2 m 11 d.

Koons, Cornelia, dau of Israel M. and [illegible] L., b Mar 17, 1873, aged [illegible] d.

Koons, Clara M., dau of W. and E., b June 26, 1879; d Sept [illegible], 1881, aged 1 y 11 m 26 d.

Koons, Emma M., dau of John C. and O., d Aug 28, 1875, aged [illegible] y 22 d.

Koons, Wm. Franklin, s of John and L., b Mar 16, 1862; d Feb 1, 1865, aged 2 y 10 m 16 d.

Koons, Charles W., s of Jacob H. and M. E., d Sept 2, 1872, aged [illegible] m 10 d.

Koons, Martha, w of D., b Oct 25, 1794; d Aug 27, 1872, aged 77 y 10 m 2 d.

Koons, Daniel, b May 31, 1818; d Apr 22, 1889, aged 70 y 11 m 1 d.

Koons, Dora A., dau of D. and C., d May 27, 1867, aged 2 y 4 m.

Koons, Margaretta, w of John, dau of Frederick Mangle, b Feb 11, 1771; d Mar 15, 1859, aged 88 y 1 m 4 d.

Koons, Jacob, d Mar 10, 1880, aged 79 y 10 m 9 d.

Koons, Sarah, w of Jacob, d Nov 16, 1868, aged 69 y 20 d.

Koons, Mary, b July 12, d Dec 11, [illegible] aged 18 y 5 m.

Koons, Jerusha, dau of J. and C., d Oct 12, 1866, aged 1 y 2 m 10 d.

Koons, John A., s of W. and F., b Dec 16, 1857; d Feb 20, 1862, aged 4 y 2 m 4 d.

Koons, Lewis, b Dec 22, 1799; d Apr 13, 1885, aged 85 y 3 m [illegible] d.

Aumiller, Mary M., w of Benjamin, b May 5, 1821; d Sept 24, 1870 aged 49 y 4 m 19 d.

Aumiller, Benjamin F., s of Benjamin, b Sept 14, 1846; d Aug 8, 1861, aged 14 y 10 m 24 d.

Aumiller, Ellen D., dau of Benjamin, b Aug 28, 1855; d Sept 18, 1862, aged 7 y 20 d.

Brosius, James A., s of Benjamin, d May 13, 1878, 1 m 25 d.

Bickle, Hannah, dau of Henry and Catharine, b Nov 26, 1889, aged 68 y 9 d.

Bitting, William, b Apr 3, 1812; d Nov 7, 1877, aged 65y 7m 4d.

Brown, Francis A., s of John, b Oct 6, 1875; d Feb 23, 1876, aged 4 m 17 d.

Brown, Patrick, b Sept 1, 1820; d Sept 8, 1898, aged 78 y 7 d.

Dressler, Norman A., s of L. A., d Mar 5, 1890, aged 1 m 3 d.

Enterline, Jacob, b Jan 1, 1837; d May 26, 1862, aged 25 y 25d.

Enterline, Mary, dau of Jacob, b July 6, 1862; d Feb 1, 1880, 17 y 6 d 15 d.

Goodling, Henrietta, d Dec 6, 1881, aged 6 y 10 m 22 d.

Gaugler, Mary E., dau of Absalom, b Aug 11, 1870; d Sept 8, 1871, aged 1 y 27 d.

German, Henry A., s of Henry, b Nov 30, 1860; d Sept 10, 1862, aged 9 m 10 d.

Hall, Lovina, w of J. B., b Jan 31, 1834; d Mar 26, 1895, aged 61 y 2 m 23 d.

Hall, Elmer S., s of J. B., b June 9, 1875, aged 8 y.

Hall, Julia, dau of J. B., aged 9 m.

Hains, Elizabeth, d Sept 1, 1872, aged 56 y.

Heckard, Anna, w of Jno. H., b Apr 3, 1811; d Nov 22, 1884. aged 73 y 7 m 19 d.

Heckard, Catharine Z. A., dau of Jas. P., Dec 18, 1866; d Oct 9, 1872, aged 5 y 9 m 21 d.

Heffelfinger, Catharine, b Aug 26, 1821; d July 2, 1892, aged 70 y 10 m 6 d.

Heffelfinger, Cyrus F., b Nov 29, 1858; d July 18, 1890, aged 31 y 7 m 19 d.

Heffelfinger, William L., Co. K 83 P. V. Inf., d Apr 27, 1887, aged 42 y 3 m 2 d.

Kerstetter, David S., b Mar 3, 1797; d June 4, 1880, aged 83 y 3 m 1 d.

Kerstetter, Catharine, w of David, b Jan 21, 1801; d June 23, 1890, aged 88 y 5 m 2 d.

Kerstetter, Jonathan, s of Joseph, b Jan 11; 1861; d Apr 16, 1887, aged 26 y 3 m 5 d.

Kerstetter, John, s of John G., d Apr 1, 1866, aged 1 y 1 d.

Kerstetter, Lewis, b July 5, 1803; d Apr 1, 1879, aged 75 y 8 m 26 d.

Kerstetter, Catharine, w of Lewis, b Apr 15, 1806; d Feb 22, 1886, aged 79 y 10 m 7 d.

Kerstetter, Henry, b Jan 4, 1844; d June 2, 1888, aged 44 y 4 m 28 d.

Kerstetter, Jane, dau of F. and L., b June 6, 1862; d Apr 16, 1879, aged 16 y 10 m 10 d.

Kerstetter, Mary Minerva, w of Jno. L., b Nov 27, 1851; d Aug 17, 1887, aged 35 y 8 m 20 d.

Kratzer, John Riley, s of Samuel, d Jan 3, 1874, aged 2 y 9 m 7d.

Kerstetter, Anna G., dau of David, b Jan 19, 1864; d July 30, 1865, aged 1 y 6 m 11 d.

Kline, George A., s of John L., d May 12, 1887, aged 2y 4m 7d.

Kline, Mary J., dau of John L., d Sept 4, 1890, aged 3 m 15 d.

Kline, Claudie L., s of Lucian, d Aug 11, 1881, aged 5 m 16 d.

Kline, Mary, w of Leonard, b Nov 7, 1834; d Apr 11, 1869, aged 34 y 5 m 4 d.

Kline, Elizabeth, dau of Leonard, b May 3, 1859; d Feb 3, 1866, aged 6 y 9 m.

Leister, Calvin, s of G. W., b Dec 11, 1866; d Sept 11, 1872, aged 5 y 9 m.

Leister, Susan, dau of G. W., d Mar 23, 1890, aged 4 m 3 d.

Newman, Mary, dau of John, b Jan 26, 1847; d Feb 10, 1869, aged 22 y 14 d.

Newman, Albert, s of Geo. W., b Sept 29, 1887; d July 8, 1889, aged 1 y 9 m 9 d.

Newman, Jacob M., s of Jacob, b Jan 5, 1864; d Sept 25, 1893, aged 29 y 8 m 20 d.

Pfahler, Owen G., s of D. B., d Feb 28, 1865, aged 1 m 14 d.

Rine, David B., s of Henry S., b July 17, 1864; d Apr 5, 1865, aged 8 m 19 d.

Rine, Mary A., w of John M., d Feb 18, 1865, aged 48 y 10 m 15 d.

Rine, Elizabeth, w of John M., d Nov 13, 1881, aged 60 y 11 m 17 d.

Rine, Mary Ann, dau of John M., d Nov 30, 1860, aged 21 y 15 d.

Rine, Helena, w of John S., d Oct 21, 1896, aged 41 y 1 m 19 d.

Rine, infant s of John S.

Reinhart, Margaret w of H. W., d Nov 8, 1889, aged 50y 6m 13d.

Reinhart, W. H., s of H. W., b Aug 26, 1876; d Apr 12, 1897, aged 20 y 7 m 17 d.

Rehrer, Levi, b Sept 25, 1825; d June 20, 1855, aged 29 y 8 m 25 d.

Snyder, George, d Aug 5, 1896, aged 80 y 3 d.

Shrawder, Mary, dau of Tilman, b Sept 1, 1856; d Mar 10, 1864, aged 7 y 6 m 9 d.

Shaffer, Mary A., w of B. C., b Aug 14, 1837; d July 30, 1873, aged 35 y 11 m 16 d.

Shaffer, Jacob F., s of Edward G., b July 3, 1868; d June 1, 1869, aged 10 m 28 d.

Shaffer, Idella M., dau of Edward G., b Apr 2, 1887; d Aug 15, 1887, aged 4 m 13 d.

Swartz, Daniel, b May 5, 1807; d Oct 30; 1876, aged 69 y 5 m 25 d.

Swartz, Henry B., s of Daniel, d Oct 6, 1872, aged 20y 5m 6d.

Swartz, Jennie F., dau of John B., b Oct 19, 1867; d Feb 6, 1870, aged 2 y 3 m 7 d.

Sones, Lloyd, b Sept 22, 1851; d Nov 19, 1879, aged 28 y 1 m 27 d.

Sones, Lloyd, s of Lloyd, b Aug 23, 1878; d May 21, 1879, aged 8 m 28 d.

Specht, Edward B., s of H. H., d Feb 3, 1876, aged 6 y 11 m 23 d.

Rice, Nelson, w of John B., d Oct 21, 1888, aged 45 y 1 m 10 d.

Rice, infant s of John B.

Robinson, Margaret, w of R. W., d Nov 3, 1880, aged 80 y 5 m 18 d.

Robinson, W. H., s of R. W., b Aug 26, 1870; d Apr 13, 1877, aged 6 y 7 m 17 d.

Robey, Levi, b Sept 15, 1825, d June 20, 1881, aged 55 y 9 m 5 d.

Sanders, George S., d Aug 6, 1866, aged 69 y 9 d.

Schrader, Mary, dau of Thomas, b Sept 1, 1860; d Mar 19, 1864, aged 3 y 6 m 18 d.

Shafer, Mary A., w of R. C., b Aug 14, 1827; d June 26, 1876, aged 48 y 10 m 12 d.

Shafer, Jacob F., s of Edward G., b July 3, 1869; d June 1, 1880, aged 10 m 28 d.

Shafer, Lydia M., dau of Edward G., b Apr 2, 1887; d Aug 15, 1887, aged 4 m 13 d.

Sparks, Daniel, b May 5, 1797; d Oct 20, 1876, aged 79 y 5 m 15 d.

Sparks, Harriet, w of Daniel, d Dec 9, 1872, aged 70 y 3 m 6 d.

Sparks, Jennie F., dau of John B., b Oct 12, 1867; d Feb 6, 1870, aged 2 y 3 m 7 d.

Sparks, Lloyd, b Sept 22, 1831; d Nov 25, 1879, aged 48 y 2 m 3 d.

Sparks, Lloyd, s of Lloyd, b Aug 20, 1870; d May 11, 1876, aged 5 y 8 m 21 d.

Sparks, Edward S., s of H. H., d Jan 7, 1875, aged 5 y 11 m 29 d.

Kramer, John Elliott, s of Samuel, d Jan 8, 1878, aged 2 y 10 m 3 d.

Kammerer, Anna C., dau of David, b Jan 18, 1855; d July 26, 1856, aged 1 y 6 m 8 d.

Kline, George A., s of John L., d May 12, 1871, aged 2 y 3 m 10 d.

Kline, Mary L., dau of John L., d Sept 4, 1880, aged 2 m 15 d.

Kline, Claude L., s of Lymon, d Aug 11, 1881, aged 2 m 10 d.

Kline, Mary, w of Leonard, b Nov 7, 1815; d Apr 11, 1880, aged 64 y 5 m 4 d.

Kline, Elizabeth, dau of Leonard, b Mar 6, 1860; d Feb 2, 1862, aged 1 y 8 m.

Lanier, Ralph, s of G. W., b Dec 11, 1868; d Sept 11, 1871, aged 2 y 9 m.

Lanier, Susan, dau of G. W., d Mar 22, 1856, aged 4 m 2 d.

Newman, Mary, dau of John, b Jan 26, 1857; d Feb 10, 1869, aged 12 y 14 d.

Newman, Albert, s of Geo. W., b Sept 29, 1867; d July 4, 1869, aged 1 y 9 m 5 d.

Newman, James M., s of Jacob, b Jan 8, 1854; d Sept 25, 1874, aged 20 y 8 m 17 d.

Philips, Owen O., s of E. H., d Feb 26, 1865, aged 1 m 14 d.

Rice, Lewis D., s of Henry H., b July 17, 1864; d Apr 3, 1865, aged 8 m 16 d.

Rice, Margaret, w of John M., d Feb 16, 1865, aged 55 y 10 m [illegible]

Rice, Elizabeth, w of John M., d Nov 15, 1881, aged 50 y 11 m 27 d.

Rice, Mary Ann, dau of John M., d Nov 20, 1860, aged 21 y 10 d.

Hall, Zulla, dau of J. E., aged 8 m.

Hahn, Elizabeth, d Sept 1, 1875, aged 26 y.

Kachel, Louisa, w of Jas. H., b Apr 2, 1851; d Nov 22, 1880, aged 29 y 7 m 19 d.

Kachel, Catharine E. A., dau of Jas. H., Dec 16, 1876; d Oct 6, 1877, aged 9 m 21 d.

Kallenbach, Catharine, b Aug 29, 1821; d July 2, 1880, aged 58 y 10 m 3 d.

Kallenbach, Lewis F., b Nov 22, 1860; d Feb 16, 1880, aged 19 y 2 m 19 d.

Kallenbach, William L., Co. C, 82 P. V. Inf., d Apr 28, 1863, aged 23 y 3 m 2 d.

Kammerer, David S., b Mar 3, 1797; d June 4, 1880, aged 83 y 3 m 1 d.

Kammerer, Catharine, w of David, b Jan 21, 1801; d June 23, 1880, aged 79 y 5 m 2 d.

Kammerer, Johanna, w of Joseph, b Jan 11, 1821; d Apr 16, 1881, aged 60 y 3 m 5 d.

Kammerer, John, s of John D., d Apr 1, 1880, aged 1 y 1 d.

Kammerer, Laura, b July 3, 1865; d Apr 1, 1876, aged 11 y 1 m 29 d.

Kammerer, Catharine, w of Lewis, b Apr 16, 1819; d Feb 23, 1890, aged 70 y 10 m 7 d.

Kammerer, Henry, b June 3, 1836; d June 2, 1880, aged 44 y 4 m 29 d.

Kammerer, Ida, dau of P. and L., b July 9, 1862; d Apr 19, 1879, aged 16 y 9 m 10 d.

Kammerer, Mary Minerva, w of Jos. L., b Nov 27, 1851; d Aug 17, 1877, aged 25 y 8 m 21 d.

Lambert, Mary H., w of Benjamin, b May 3, 1821; d Sept 24, 1870, aged 49 y 4 m 21 d.

Lambert, Susanna R., w of Benjamin, b Aug 14, 1840; d Aug 4, 1865, aged 24 y 11 m 21 d.

Lambert, Ella D., dau of Benjamin, b Aug 26, 1868; d Sept 16, 1875, aged 7 y 20 d.

Lambert, James A., s of Benjamin, d May 13, 1873, 1 m 22 d.

Lamb, Hannah, dau of Henry and Catharine, b Nov 22, 1858, aged 9 y 9 d.

Lathey, William, b Apr 7, 1819; d Nov 2, 1877, aged 58 y 7 m 26 d.

Lamont, Francis A., s of John, b Oct 8, 1818; d Feb 25, 1819, aged 4 m 17 d.

Lamont, Patrick, b Sept 1, 1820; d Sept 8, 1899, aged 79 y 7 d.

[illegible], Marcus A., s of L. A., d Mar 6, 1881, aged 1 m 3 d.

[illegible], Jacob, b Jan 1, 1827; d Mar 26, 1868, aged 41 y 2 m 25 d.

[illegible], Mary, dau of Jacob, b July 8, 1862; d Feb 1, 1880, 17 y 6 m 24 d.

[illegible], Henrietta, d Dec 8, 1881, aged 8 y 10 m 22 d.

[illegible], Mary E., dau of Abraham, b Aug 13, 1870; d Sept 4, 1871, aged 1 y 22 d.

[illegible], Harry A., s of Henry, b Nov 30, 1869; d Sept 10, 1871, aged 1 y 9 m 10 d.

[illegible], Lavina, w of D. H., b Jan 31, 1834; d Mar 26, 1876, aged 42 y 1 m 26 d.

[illegible], Eliza E., s of J. W., d June 3, 1875, aged 4 y.

Hoffer, Mary, w of Joseph, b Mar 26, 1813; d Feb 9, 1893, aged 79 y 10 m 13 d.

Inch, John W., s of James, b Sept 4, 1866; d Mar 25, 1885, aged 18 y 6 m 21 d.

Inch, William, s of James, d Nov 29, 1890, aged 37 y 1 m 3 d.

Inch, Mary E. dau of James, b June 25, 1868; d Dec 14, 1885, aged 17 y 5 m 19 d.

Inch, Susan G., dau of James, b Apr 2, 1863; d Nov 8, 1882, aged 19 y 5 m 6 d.

Inch, Peter, s of James, b Sept 27, 1856; d Oct 6, 1879, aged 23 y 9 d.

Inch, Jennie, dau of Jacob, d July 1, 1894, aged 4 m 2 d.

Inch, Harvey M., s of Jacob, d June 27; 1879, aged 6 m 9 d.

Keeley, Esther, w of John, d Sept 5, 1823, aged 31 y.

Kerchner, John G., b Mar 3, 1774; d Nov 10, 1835, aged 61 y 7 m 12 d.

Kerstetter, John, b Oct 1, 1801; d d Oct 1 1868, aged 67 y.

Kerstetter, Harriet, w of John, d Oct 19, 1890, aged 79 y 4 m 4 d.

Kerstetter, infant of Joseph, d Apr 11, 1876.

Kerstetter, Michael, b May 30, 1797; d July 24, 1852, aged 55 y 1 m 25 m.

Kerstetter, Sarah, w of Michael, b Mar 20, 1793; d Apr 20, 1869, aged 76 y 1 m.

Kerstetter, Elizabeth, dau of Michael, b Feb 7, 1825; d Sept 14, 1853, aged 28 y 7 m 7 d.

Kerstetter, William F., b Sept 23, 1868; d Nov 4, 1868, aged 1 m 14 d.

Kerstetter, Elmer, b Aug 5, 1873, aged 1 m 11 d.

Kerstetter, Elizabeth, w of Jona, b July 13, 1841; d June 10, 1867, aged 25 y 10 m 27 d.

Kreitzer, Frederic, b Sept 8, 1792; d Feb 4, 1868, aged 75 y 4 m 26 d.

Kreitzer, Sarah, w of Frnd., b June 4, 1800; d May 8, 1866, aged 65 y 11 m 4 d.

Kreitzer, Sarah, w of Jno. C., b Aug 5, 1838; d Feb 22, 1877, aged 38 y 6 m 17 d.

Kreitzer, Sarah, w of Fred., d July 1, 1898.

Kerlin, Margaret A., dau of Levi, b Nov 14, 1893; d Dec 25, 1893, aged 1 m 11 d.

Kerlin, infant dau of Levi, b June 10, 1895.

Kantz, Peter, b July 31, 1786; d May 25, 1859, aged 72 y 9 m 21 d.

Kemerer, Peter, b Aug 14, 1785; d July 29, 1851, aged 67 y 11 m 15 d.

Kemerer, Susan, b Apr 10, 1782; d Nov 26, 1852, aged 70 y 7 m 16 d.

Kemerer, Joseph, s of Peter, b Mar 21, 1818; d Apr 4, 1846, aged 28 y 14 d.

Kemerer, Elizabeth, dau of Peter, b July 14, 1815, d Apr 5, 1846, aged 30 y 8 m 23 d.

Kerchner, Elizabeth, w of J. G., b Jan 30, 1783; d Nov 25, 1849, aged 66 y 9 m 25 d.

Longacre, Peter, b Mar 27, 1789; d Dec 31, 1843, aged 54 y 9 m 4 d.

Longacre, Elizabeth, w of Peter, b May 23, 1788; d Dec 17, 1831, aged 43 y 7 m 24 d.

Longacre, Susan, w of Peter, b Sept 8, 1799, d Jan 27, 1879, aged 79 y 4 m 19 d.

Longacre, William, b Apr 22, 1812, d July 8, 1888, aged 72 y 2 m 16 d.

Longacre, Peter, b Jan 17, 1820, d May 27, 1860, aged 40 y 4 m 10 d.

Leach, Annie, dau of Fred., b Nov 17, 1885; d Jan 18, 1888, aged 2 y 2 m 1 d.

Leach, Nelson, s of Wm. Bar, d Feb 13, 1870, aged 5 m 23 d.

Lenig, John P., b Sept 18, 1853; d Dec 14, 1888, aged 35 y 2 m 26 d.

Lenig, Amelia, w of Jno. D., b May 20, 1858; d Nov 12, 1889, aged 31 y 5 m 22 d.

Lenig, Blanche C., dau of Jno D., d Nov 27, 1889, aged 1 m 17 d.

Lenig, Sylvester, s of Alfred, d Mar 14, 1887, aged 8 m 5 d.

Lenig, Samuel A., s of Alfred, b July 13, 1874; d May 8, 1882, aged 13 y 10 m 25 d.

Lenig, John, d Jan 13, 1874, aged 60 y 7 m 23 d.

Lenig, Jacob H., d Sept 25, 1880, aged 57 y.

Lenig, Barbara, w of Jacob H., d Mar 17, 1878, aged 47 y 18d.

Lenig, William, s of J. and C., d Jan 4, 1859, aged 5 y 6m 10 d.

Lenig, Isaac, s of J. H. and B., d May 21, 1858, aged 4 y 4 m 5 d.

Lenig, Amelia, dau of J. H. and B., d May 21, 1858, aged 4 y 4 m 5d.

Lenig, Elizabeth, w of Joseph, b Feb 5, 1822; d Apr 24, 1866, aged 44 y 2 m 19 d.

Lenig, Adelia, dau of Jacob H., d Oct 6, 1863, aged 1 y 8 m 20d.

Lenig, Caroline, w of John, b June 1, 1843; d Oct. 15, 1878, aged 35 y 4 m 14 d.

Lenig, John B., s of J. D. and C. D., d May 28, 1879, aged 7 m 23 d.

Lahr, Esther L., w of Josiah, b Feb 3, 1849, d July 17, 1869.

Labord, Peter.

Labord, Susan, w of Peter, b May 5, 1820; d Aug 18, 1880, aged 60 y 3 m 8 d.

Long, Aaron, s of Joseph, b Feb 16, 1880; d May 21, 1862, aged 2 y 3 m 5 d.

Landis, Catherine, w of Peter, b Apr 3, 1805; d Jan 31, 1875, aged 69 y 9 m 18 d.

Ligget, Sarah E., d Sept. 12, 1854, aged 11 m.

Lauver, Henry A, b July 7, 1841; d July 12, 1893, aged 53 y 11 d.

Lefler, David, b Feb 5, 1805; died Jan 5, 1875, aged 69 y 11 m.

Lefler, Catherine, w of David, b Oct 30, 1812, d Jan 1, 1866, aged 53 y 2 m 1 d.

Lefler, John, s of David, b Feb 18, 1843; d Sept 18, 1873, aged 30 y 6 m 20 d.

Meiser, Joseph, b Nov 12, 1827; d Sept 27, 1896, aged 68 y 10 m 5 d.

KERSTETTER

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By Mary Lontz

Jacob STRAWSER d. Oct. 27, 1889, 55y wife Mary d. 12/23/1889, 61y
Lizzie J.(w/o James H. SWARTZ) 11/27/1861-Sep.25,1885
Philip SWARTZ,4/30/1792-7/27/1862 wife Eliz. 5/15/1798-6/18/1861
Caroline(w/o David SWARTZ) 11/16/1833-Sep 2,1896
Amelia(w/o Jonathan SWINEFORD) 12/24/1854-12/27/1883
Alice(w/o Israel SANDERS) 7/13/1850-1/24/1872
Emanuel SANDERS 11/7/1817-1/8/1876 son Samuel d. 1/23/1882, 29y
Verdilla(w/o Daniel WILT) 11/20/1859-2/8/1896
Emma(w/o Absalom WILT) 5/2/1863-1/27/1885
Elvilda MM (w/o John WISE) 3/24/1864-11/13/1884

KRAMER'S PRIVATE CEMETERY:

Frederic KRAMER 11/6/1781-5/29/1850
Michael D. KERSTETTER d. Oct. 26, 1855, 25y
Susan(w/o Peter RINE) Sep. 11, 1827-Sep 4, 1861
Levi REICHENBACH 12/25/1821-1/21/1861 wife Samaria 3/13/1825-3/13/1861
Barb. (w/o Jacob SPANGLER) 4/8/1801-12/6/1854

GRUBB'S CHURCH CEMETERY:

Henry ARNOLD Sep. 19, 1800-Oct. 17, 1878 w. Anna, 11/3/1802-1873
Geo. ARNOLD Aug. 9, 1773-3/11/1848 w. Maria, 2/7/1775-5/23/1857
John S.(s/o Geo ARNOLD) 11/28/1808-2/18/1857 wife Eliz. S. 3/6/1809-11/14/1856
Samuel ARNOLD 6/23/1815-4/21/1851
Casper ARNOLD 5/1/1787-12/9/1859 w. Mary Aug. 8, 1788-2/26/1861
Geo. ARNOLD 5/3/1803-12/2/1865 w. Mary 5/3/1809-4/12/1880
Susanna ARNOLD 1/12/1817-3/21/1862
Peter ARNOLD Co. A. 172 P.V.I. (s/o Casper) d. Sep. 5,1863,41y
Joseph P.(s/o Casper ARNOLD) 12/26/1834-4/2/1866
Eliz. (d/o Geo. & Eliz. ARNOLD) 2/24/1799-4/4/1878
Mary M.(w/o Noah AIGHLER) 4/25/1852-3/23/1880
John BOYER 1/14/1772-6/13/1839, 67y
Anna(w/o Daniel BOHMER) 7/22/1827-4/5/1868
Cath(w/o Daniel BOHMER) 2/9/1827-4/8/1898
Rudolph BRUGGER 12/3/1772-10/23/1853 w. Cath. 11/1/1774-Sep. 231864
Gabriel BRUGGER 6/1/1804-9/27/1856
Rudolph BRUGGER Sep. 29,1806-12/1/1881
Henry BICKHART 6/27/1829-11/7/1888 w. Adaline, 4/13/1831-12/16/1889
Benj. BICKHART d. Oct. 17, 1894,62y w. Eliz. d. 4/15/1888, 50y
Hannah BOYER, 11/11/1827-2/16/1851
Eliz. BOYER 6/4/1817-11/10/1843
Mary Ann(w/o John J. BOYER) Sep 2, 1781-4/11/1864
Mary A.(w/o H.H. BLATT) d. Sep. 27,1893,27y
Harriet(w/o John BARR) d. 2/18/1849,21
Jacob BERTSH Sep. 16,1786-1/30/1862 w. Mary 7/9/1791-6/6/1871
David Franklin(s/o David BENFER) Sep. 17, 1835-11/7/1856
Joseph BRITTON(REV. SOLDIER) 3/7/1755-Sep. 26, 1830
Wm. CARVELL, Aug. 4, 1787-7/30/1843 w. Mary 6/8/1791-5/31/1868
Eliz.(w/o Samuel CATHERMAN) 1804-4/27/1832
Eve(w/o Jacob COMFORT) d. 3/22/1858,34y
John CRAIG Sep. 6, 1803-5/10/1882 w. Susannah 5/6/1807-Sep.29,1854
Emma(w/o Robt. CRAIG) d. 1/26/1848,84
Samuel DENGLER 2/9/1799-5/24/1873 w. Mary 4/17/1809-7/26/1885
Christ DARR, Co. I, 172 P.V.I. 22years of age
Esther DENGLER 6/20/1836-7/27/1867
Eliza DARR d. July 15, 1864,17y
Wm. DARR, drowned at Clark's Ferry, 6/13/1869, 49y
Benj. F.(s/o Peter EBERLY) 12/4/1829-3/8/1851
David FISHER Sep. 3, 1797-6/1/1856 w. Hannah 4/1/1802-12/15/1867
John I. FISHER Co. I, 172 P.V.I. Sep. 19, 1826-4/9/1863
Anna Chris(w/o David FISHER)12/15/1807-12/15/1846

Jacob FISHER 3/18/1769-5/26/1850 w. Christianna, d. age 65y

Mary(w/o Henry FOLTZ) d. 11/20/1889, 40y

Magdalena(w/o Jacob FREED) Sep. 17, 1800-Sep. 18, 1887

Frederic FIRICH, Aug. 15, 1809-3/1/1858 w. Cath. Sep. 20, 1802-3/14/1858

John Fred GOY d.11/25/1828, 67y w. Anna d. 7/4/1834, 57y

Margt. GOY 1/10/1798-6/10/1879

Anna Margt. GOY d. 5/5/1828, 60y

John GOY d. 11/7/1836, 37y

Anna(w/o Geo. GOODLING) 3/4/1818-4/16/1852

Anna M.(w/o Geo. GOODLING) 7/17/1817-Oct. 2,1892

Samuel GAUGLER, 4/27/1797-Sep. 30, 1880

Caroline(w/o Jacob GAUGLER) 4/12/1845-Oct. 29, 1869

Killian GAUGLER, Sep. 19,1790-Oct. 12, 1861 w. Barb. 6/20/1796-6/15/1873

Joel(s/o Jacob GAUGLER) Aug. 26,1872-11/2/1895

George GAMBY 5/7/1835-8/30/1866

Cath(w/o John GELNET) 7/9/1819-4/1/1852

Casper GELNET Oct. 18,1773-7/16/1846, w. Cath. 12/10/1774-1/16/1853

Isaac GLADFELTER 6/19/1819-3/13/1847

Wm.(s/o Wm. S. HINKLE)d. 6/30/1895, 77y

Peter HEIMBACH b. 12/29/1788, died age 79y

Wm. HEIGES, 11/18/1808-Aug.21,1878

Anna C.(w/o Wm. HEIGES,) Oct. 18, 1803-1/10/1835

Esther(w/o Wm. HEIGES) 5/2/1810-12/21/1893

Susannah(w/o Wm. G. HEIGES) Sep. 30,1842-Oct. 20,1876

John HEINTZELMAN d. 82y wife Susan d. 75y

Peter L.HEINTZELMAN d. Oct. 1, 1891, 37y

Daniel R. HEINTZELMAN, d. 12/25/1880, 31y

Jonathan HEINTZELMAN Sep. 28, 1788-12/25/1843 wife Barb. Oct. 27,1791-12/30/1864

John HOCKMEISTER 5/23/1796-Sep. 9,1871 w. Wilhelmina 2/23/1804-3/16/1892

Sabina(w/o Simon HILE) Aug.24, 1820-12/19/1868

Chas. W.(s/o John HILE) 2/23/1874-7/2/1887

Peter HAINS 1/26/1782-5/5/1860 w. Eve 6/12/1786-12/1/1857

Geo. HOFFMAN 6/4/1809-Oct. 5,1895 w. Eliz. 2/15/1807-2/17/1879

John HEIM d. 3/6/1835, 39y

Peter HUMMEL 6/29/1816-6/3/1886

Anna(w/o Peter HUMMEL) 7/27/1820-3/16/1888

Wm. HUMMEL 6/27/1822-1/19/1884 w. Cath. 12/8/1823-5/14/1881

Susannah HERROLD 3/11/1859, d. 18y

Geo.H. HERROLD 5/2/1813-7/13/1887 w. Barb. d/ 11/3/1885,66y

Nathan HERROLD 7/13/1823-2/1/1890

Cath. HEIMBACH 1/8/1783-Oct.24,1860

Cath(w/o John HAUSE) 4/15/1840-Oct. 23,1863

Louisa(w/o Wm. HACKENBROGHT) 11/15/1830-Aug.18,1892

Geo. HEINTZELMAN d. 5/29/1887,65y w. Cath. d. 2/20/1885,61

Eve HEINTZELMAN 11/21/1785-3/22/1871 w. Eliz. 11/21/1785-3/30/1872

Lydia(d/o John HOUTZ) d. 3/5/1872,57y

Isaac HOLMAN d. age 84y w. Barb. Sep. 30,1800-6/16/1880

Jos. HOFFER Aug. 15,1810-1/20/1889

Mary(w/o Joseph HOFFER) 3/26/1813-2/9/1893

John W.(s/o James INCH d. 3/25/1885, 18y

Wm.(s/o James INCH) d. 11/29/1890,37y

Mary E(d/o James INCH)d. 1885,17y

Susan G(d/o James INCH) d. 1882,19y

Peter(s/o James INCH) d.1879,23y

Esther(w/o John KEELEY) d. Sep. 5,1823,31y

John G. KERCHNER, 3/3/1774-11/10/1835

John KERSTETTER Oct. 1, 1801-Oct. 1, 1868 w. Harriet d. Oct.19, 1890,79y

Michael KERSTETTER, 5/30/1797-7/24/1852 w. Sarah 3/20/1793-4/20/1869

Eliz(d/o Michael Kerstetter) 2/7/1825-Sep.14,1853

Eliz.(w/o Jona KERSTETTER) 7/13/1841-6/10/1867

Frederic KREITZER Sep. 8,1792-2/4/1868 w. Sarah 6/4/1800-5/8/1866

Sarah(w/o Jno. C. KREITZER) Aug. 5, 1838-2/22/1877

by Dr. Charles A. Fisher

Creek Valley, west of Middleburg, in the now Snyder County, and it is presumed that he occupied this land soon after securing the warrant. He was granted 260 acres more in the year 1788 and 1789. His first grant adjoined the lands of John George Esslinger (maybe Ettinger), Leonard Diehl, Jacob Walter and other pioneers. In 1908, the original grant was owned by Hopner Mitchell and Robert Rearick. When he first settled in the valley, the Indians were still plentiful and the rifle was carried to the fields with the hoe. The Kerns had six sons and three daughters. The oldest, Henry, was born on November 17, 1769, and died at the home of his brother, Peter, in Seneca County, Ohio, on March 31, 1835. His wife was Catherine Lepley. (2). John, born about 1771, and died in 1823. He married Catherine Royer, who died about the same time. (3). John Adam (see sketch above). (4). Peter was born in what is now Franklin Township, Snyder County, Pa., on February 22, 1776, and died in Thompson Township, Seneca County, Ohio, on June 12, 1855. His wife was Christina Lepley, who was either a sister or daughter of Michael Lepley, a Revolutionary soldier, who was killed by the Indians in their attack on Fort Freeland, near Turbotville, Pa., on April 26, 1779. Christina was born in New Jersey on September 4, 1775, and died in Seneca County, Ohio, on March 3, 1857. (5). George Jacob (commonly called Jacob) was born in what is now Franklin Township, Snyder County, Pa., on April 22, 1784, and died in Thompson Township, Seneca County, Ohio, on June 21, 1853. His wife was, Elizabeth, daughter of George Schoch, she was born in what is now Snyder County, Pa., on October 17, 1787, and died in Thompson Township, Seneca County, Ohio, on October 22, 1856. (6). Phillip, was born in what is now Franklin Township, Snyder County, Pa., and lived and died in Beaver Township of the same county. (7). Anna Mary, married John Walter. (8). Louisa, married Jacob Bubb or Bobb. (9). Christina, married Jacob Walter and lived at Selinsgrove, Pa. John Yost Kern bought a farm from John Swift at the present site of Beavertown, in 1790. This farm in 1885, was owned by a grandson, Henry Kern (son of Henry.) A sister of John Yost Kern, a Mrs. Miller, came to America from Germany in 1823. Her nephew, Henry Kern, went to Germany to accompany her across. All of her wealth was invested in clocks and Bibles, all of which she brought with her, and later sold them at a considerable profit in this country. John Yost Kern, and his wife, are buried in the Old Hassinger Cemetery, west of Middleburg, Pa., in unmarked graves. Many of their descendants live in Snyder and surrounding counties. The Federal Census of 1790, stated that the Kern family consisted in that year of three males over 16, four under that age, and four females, the compiler was unable to find a military record for Yost, and it is believed that he served during the Revolution. Credit for much of the data in this sketch is due to the late Aaron Kern Gift of Middleburg, Pa.

NATHAN KERN, SENIOR, was assessed in Upper Milford Township, Northampton County, Pa., in 1772. It is believed that he was a son of George and Barbara Kern. The former died in Penn Township in 1793. In 1787, Mathias was assessed with 100 acres and personal property in Upper Milford Township. He became a resident of what is now Snyder County about the year 1789, and the Federal Census of 1790, stated that his family at that time consisted of one male, over, and one under 16 years, and three females. On May 14, 1778, he was a private, 1st Company, 2nd Battalion of the Northampton County Militia. From October 5th to November 22, 1781, he was a private in Captain Adam Serfass' Company from the same county.

MATHIAS KERN, JUNIOR, was a son of Mathias Kern, Sr., who came to what is now Snyder County from Upper Millord Township, Northampton County, Pa., about 1789. Mathias, Junior, is supposed to have come with his parents at that time. In the federal census of 1790, Mathias, Jr., lived in Beaver Township, and his family consisted of himself and his wife. His father, in the same year lived in Penn Township.

PETER KERN was the fourth son of John Yost Kern and his wife, Eva Maria Weiss. Peter was born in what is now Franklin Township, Snyder County, Pa., on February 22, 1776, and died in Thompson Township, Seneca County, Ohio, on June 12, 1855. His wife was Christina Lepley, a sister or daughter of Michael Lepley, a Revolutionary soldier who was killed by the Indians in their attack on Fort Freeland in April, 1779 .She was born in New Jersey on September 4, 1775, and died in the same county as her husband, on March 3, 1857. Peter was assessed in Beaver Township for the first time in 1799, and in that year was designated as a single freeman. He owned a farm in what is now Adams Township of Snyder County, Pa., and followed the trade of wagon builder. He also built wooden plows with metal covered jointers and shares, and wooden framed harrows and also other farm implements. It is not known when he moved to Seneca County, Ohio, but is supposed to have gone there after his older brothers settled in that section. The children of Peter Kern and his wife were: Michael (1802-1847); Mary (1803-1884), who married Samuel Romig; Peter, Junior (1807-1857), and Anthony (1813-1886).

ADAM KERSTETTER (also Karstetter, Carstetter, Kastetter, Castetter, Castetor, etc.,) is believed to have lived in Penn Township for a short while around the year 1776. In 1783, he was assessed in Mahonoy Township of Northumberland County. H elived in the same county in 1790, and the federal census of that period states that his family consisted of one male over and one under 16 years, and four females. On January 30, 1777, he was a private in Captain Benjamin Weiser's Company, German Regiment, Continental Line, stationed at Philadelphia, Pa.

JOHN KERSTETTER (commonly called "Big John") was a resident, but not a land owner in Mahonoy Township, Northumberland County, Pa., in 1787. He was assessed in Penn Township for the first time in 1795, and the next year when Mahantango Township was forced, the was assessed there. A John Kerstetter, Jr., was assessed in Mahantango Township for the first time in 1796. A John Kerstetter served as a private in Captain William Weirick's Company, also in Captain John Moll's Company of the Northumberland County Militia. In 1790, Big John's family consisted of one male over and two males under 16 years, and four females.

JOHN GEORGE KERSTETTER was commonly called "George." He was born in 1756, he died in Snyder County, Pa., about 1840. His wife's first name was Elizabeth, and it is believed her surname was Foltz. George was assessed in Penn Township for the first time in 1785, and in that year he was taxed with 200 acres and personal property. When Mahantango Township was formed in 1796, he lived there. In 1820, he lived in Washington, and in 1821, it is said he lived in what is now Perry Township of Snyder County. In addition to being a farmer, he

ABSTRACTS OF
SNYDER COUNTY PROBATE and ORPHANS COURT RECORDS
(1772-1855)

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ABSTRACTS OF PROBATE RECORDS OF SNYDER COUNTY, PA.
(Taken from Northumberland County records of which
Snyder County was formerly a part)

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

DATE	NAME OF DECEASED	LETTERS TO	SURETIES
5/7/1779	Michael Lepley	Jacob Lepley	John Reed,Israel Paschal
5/25/1779	Philip Ewig	Adam Ewig	Michael Hessler,Mathias Stringle
6/12/1779	Michael Lepley	John Nye	Jacob Hassinger,Adam Gift
11/25/1779	George Treaster	Martin Treaster	Geo.Troutner,Melchoir Stock.
8/24/1780	George Row,Sr.	George Row,Jr.	Andrew Morr,George Conrad
11/30/1780	William Baker,Sr.	Adam Balt	John Regar,John Stroup
2/20/1781	George Livingood	Jacob Livingood	Peter Witmer
		John "	Zacharias Sprangle(Spangle?)
		Casper Reed	
2/27/1781	George Etzweiler	Mary Etzweiler	Wilton Atkinson,Peter Allman
10/19/1781	Martin Treaster	Elizabeth Treaster	Martin Treaster,George Clever
7/18/1782	Lorentz Arnold	Mary Arnold	Adam Bollender,Jacob Hassinger
		Philip Aumiller	
10/22/1782	Martin Treaster	Jacob Treaster	James Crawford
		George Wolf	Joseph Lorentz(Lawrence)
11/29/1782	Christopher Bartges	William Gill	George Overmire,Michael Focht
11/27/1783	Mathias Trinkle	Charles Trinkle	" " Jacob Harpster
11/8/1784	Michael Meiser	John Meiser	Jacob Eckhart,Henry Rine
1/15/1785	George Adams	George Troutner	Charles Meyer,Nicholas Mockell
1/16/1785	Peter Borrah	Jacob Borrah	Valentine Laudenslager
		David Miller	Frederick Miller
5/18/1786	Charles Trinkle	Elizabeth Trinkle	Peter Kister(Kuster)
		Leonard Walker	Frederick Druckenmiller
8/23/1786	David Miller	Valentine Laudenslager	Godfrey Goh(Gray)
			Peter Maurer
1/17/1787	Ludwig Brenner	Eliz.Brenner	Jacob Eckhart
		Fred Albright	John Reichenbach
5/2/1787	Philip Conrad Aumiller	Conrad Aumiller	John Aumiller
		Jacob Borrah	Simon Bickel
5/19/1787	John Snyder	Mary Snyder(wife)	Albright Swineford
	(Governor's Brother)	Simon Snyder	George Ulrich
		John Miller	
4/1/1788	Jacob Aurand	John Aurand	Aaron Levy,Jacob Dreisbach
4/7/1788	George Hain,Sr.	John Hain	Frederick Gettig,Michael Focht
2/3/1789	John Rearick,Sr.	Mary Rearick	Jacob Wise
		John "	George Overmire,jr.
		William "	
2/14/1789	Simon Markley	George Markley	Jacob Eckhart,Peter Markley
12/16/1789	Margaret Ketsel	George Sheaver	Henry Aurand;George Haines
6/22/1790	George Troxel	Catherine Troxel	Henry Aurand,Nicholas Stroh
		John Troxel	
8/6/1790	Leonard Kerstetter Sr.	Leonard Kerstetter	John Bingaman,Jacob Brosius
[illegible]3/1790	Peter Shoemaker,Sr.	Peter Shoemaker,Jr.	Melchoir Stock,Daniel Witmer
	Wife;Catherine	John Shoemaker	
[illegible]0/1791	Andrew Heffer(Hafer)	Elizabeth Heffer	Charles Meyer,Thomas Price
		Fred Heffer	
5/13/1791	Henry Zeller	John Zeller	Christopner Zimmerman
8/13/1791	Jacob Zimmerman	Francis Rhoads	Jos.Lorentz,Francis Rhoads,Jr.

1/27/1802	Catherine Drum	Charles Drum	James Shite, William Gray
2/20/1802	Jacob Kitchen	Elias Kitchen	Theodore Keihl,Daniel Boger
4/5/1802	Philip Shawver	Simon Bickel	Mathias Spotz, George Ulrich
4/18/1802	Jacob Miller	Jacob Meyer	Fred Evans, Henry Ertly(Erdly)
5/20/1802	David Shetterly	George Shetterly	George Keen
		Adam Light	" Moyer
6/25/1802	Samuel Grosscup	Hiroimus Augustine	Joseph Romich, John Mock
6/26/1802	John Hummel	Henry Hummel	George Hummel, James Smith
9/20/1802	Jacob Fry	Abreham Fry	Adam Reger, Herman Oberdorf
10/11/1802	Adam Brouse	Catherine Brouse	George Benfer
		Abraham "	Peter Klingler
10/11/1802	Peter Clemens	Elizabeth Clemens	James Smith
		Christ of Kuntzman	John Haas
11/15/1802	Benjamin Yoder	Mary Yoder	Melchoir Yoder
		John Yoder	Mathias Schoch
12/13/1802	Christoph.Wentzel	John Wentzel	Henry Zartman
		Abraham "	Martin Heil
1/15/1803	Michael Werlein,Sr.	George Bassler	Joseph Lorentz
		Magdalene "	
1/26/1803	Jacob Wagner	John Wagner	Peter Helspesch,Dan.Kuntzman
2/21/1803	Conrad Weiser	Barbara Weiser	Nicholas Gaugler
		Benjamin "	Jacob Hummel
3/2/1803	Cath.Parson	Ludwig Long	David List, Andrew List
5/2/1803	Jacob Aurand	Mary Walker	Peter Bastian
		John Aurand	Conrad Minnich
6/7/1803	Nicholas Kern,Sr.	Nicholas Kern,jr.	Simon Snyder,Lawrence Kern
8/13/1803	Lawrence Haas	Daniel Haas	Henry Shaffer
		John Haas	George Bright
8/26/1803	Maria E. Zern	William Hain	Henry Krebs,Adam Bollender
9/19/1803	Baltzer Laver	Rosina Laver	John Thomas
		John Laver	Henry Miller
3/15/1804	Abraham Werline	Philip Wolf	Michael Werline
4/2/1804	Christian Binner	Barbara Binner	John Dinges
		John "	Adam Schaut
8/18/1804	Jacob Rhoads	Jacob Gable	And.Bastian,Michael Bartges
10/25/1804	Michael Werline	Solomon Werline	Jacob Bastian
		John Geist	Peter Bastian
"	Francis Foltz	Mary Foltz	Peter Garman,Peter Hackenberg
10/31/1804	George Michael	Geo. Michael, Jr.	Geo.Good,Jacob Weidner
11/6/1804	Jacob Musselman	Mary Musselman	Geo.Kessler, Andrew Berger
11/19/1804	John Felker	Mary Felker	John Gross, Christian Royer
11/19/1804	Conrad Reichley	Catherine Reichley	Jacob Bickel, George Schoch
1/25/1805	John Hummel	Rosina Hummel	Jeremiah Klop,Sr.
		Jere. Klop,Jr.	Jacob Deitrick
2/2/1805	Christina Meyer	Peter Richter	Theodore Keihl
		John Houseworth	Henry Shaffer
2/6/1805	John Swineford	Thomas Shipton	George Swineford, Andrew List
			Peter "
1/30/1805	Henry Haas	Abraham Haas	George Bastian
		John "	Peter "
4/23/1805	George Miller	Hannah Miller	Philip Diehl
		Peter Apple	John Dreese
4/26/1805	Peter Hosterman	Jacob Hosterman	Simon Snyder
		John Stover	Simon Herrold
		John Fisher	
5/22/1805	George Baasler	Maria Mag. Bassler	George Schoch, George Kessler
7/31/1805	Peter Kessler,Sr.	Peter Kessler,Jr.	Joseph Lorentz,James Smith

3/21/1844	Emma F.Finkle	Wash.	Wm.G.Herrold	Mike Kleckner, Benneville Kremer
3/21/1844	Jacob Graybill	Perry	John G.Graybill	Tobias Sholl,Abraham Grubb
4/3/1844	Robert West	"	Jacob Reichenbach	Peter & John Troup
5/13/1844	Leonard Peter	W.Beaver	John Peter	Andrew Ulsh,Philip Manbeck
8/3/1844	George Spaide	Center	John Spaide George Boyer	Jac.Millhouse,Jos. Hassinger
9/25/1844	Christian Shaffer	Chapman	John Heim	George & Jacob Steffen
10/26/1844	John Reitz	Penn	Abraham Walter	Jos.Walter,Isaac Gutelius
10/28/1844	Hannah Rayman	Wash.	J.Lewis Rayman	John Smith
12/4/1844	Henry Sechrist	Chapman	John Sechrist	Fred Kremer,Casper Arnold
2/25/1845	John Sierer	Penn	Leonard App Jacob W.Smith	John Motz,Abraham Zeigler
2/27/1845	Jas.Fitzsimmons	Penn	Jos.Fitzsimmons Robert Swineford	Robert Barber,John Snyder
3/15/1845	George Strayer	Wash.	Daniel Garman	John C.Boyer,John Roush
5/21/1845	George Hoffman	Penn	Jacob W.Smith Daniel Brobst	Jonas Miller,Gid. Leisering
8/11/1845	Daniel Romig	Middle Creek	Geo.J.Schoch	Sem Schoch
8/28/1845	Jacob Brouse	Penn	Abe Brouse,Jr.	Abe & Henry Brouse
9/6/1845	Michael Gaugler	Perry	Isaac Smith	Fred Bower,Robt.W. Smith
9/6/1845	Joseph Walter	Penn	Jacob Bollender Deit.K.Walter	Geo.Schoch,Fred Hassinger
	Henry Reiner	Perry	Peter Aucker	Val.Haas, George Smith
2/17/1846	Leonard Stine	Chapman	Hulen B.Hetrick	H.C.Eyer,John Harrison
2/18/1846	Philip Amig	Perry	Gideon Amig	John Krebs,David Kremer
3/17/1846	Hannah Britton	Chapman	Mary Carwell	John Craig,Geo.H. Shaffer
3/10/1846	Elizabeth Gilbert	Center	Samuel Gilbert John Wittes	John Wain,Isaac Wittes
3/24/1846	John Jacob Fisher	Penn	Geo.B.Garman	John Mathias,John Kantz
4/27/1846	James L.Forry	Perry	Nathan Forry	George Rine,Gabriel Brugger
5/19/1846	Catherine Reitz	Center	Deit,K.Walter	Jacob Kern,Dan.S.Kern
6/5/1846	Mich.Kerstetter	Chapman	John Kerstetter	Adam Nerhood,John Houtz
9/4/1846	Ludwig Young	Center	George Young	Sam.Martz,Sol.Bowersox
9/14/1846	Isaac Robinson	Penn	Thomas Boon	George Adams,Samuel Stock
10/3/1846	John Reifsnyder	Chapman	John Reifsnyder,Jr.	Adam Nerhood,Jacob Mauck
10/29/1846	Jacob Duck	Penn	Daniel Kuster	Sem Schoch,Abraham Schoch
12/10/1846	Edmond Pheasig	Chapman	Jacob Martin	Jacob Martin,John Smith

1/1/1852	Henry Pile	Perry	Jacob Martin	D.W. Wood,John Garman
1/21/1852	Leah Romig	W.Beaver	J.H.Margeritz	Daniel Koch,Samuel R.Stumpf
1/28/1852	Michael Gearhart	Perry	Michael Gearhart	Jacob Martin,Michael Woomer
1/31/1852	Michael Moyer	Beaver	Daniel Moyer	Jesse Gearhart, Philip Herbster
2/5/1852	John R. Knepp	"	Samuel Knepp	Joseph Casey,Henry R.Knepp
2/16/1852	Conrad Hassinger	Center	Geo.Aaron Hassinger	Henry Hassinger, Ellis Stahlnecker
2/23/1852	David Bender	Chapman	Levi S.Herrold	Wm.G.Herrold,Frank Fryer
3/1/1852	Henry Glass	Wash.	Geo. G. Glass	George Glass,Wm.Rushong
3/12/1852	Henry Wetzel	Union Co.	Daniel Wagner	Jacob Wetzel,Jacob Spangler
3/17/1852	John Showers	Perry	S. H. Showers	" Shelley,Wm. Rushong
3/31/1852	Philip Winey	Perry	Jacob Martin	D.W.Woods,Frederick Rathfon
4/8/1852	George Thomas	Beaver	George Reigle	John D. Romig,Abner Middlesworth
5/3/1852	John Snyder	Chapman	H. C. Eyer	Isaac Slenker, John Swineford
5/17/1852	John Hart	Penn	George Mathias	John Mathias,Philip Kantz
5/18/1852	Sampson Fisher	"	William Wagner	George Beaver,George Heimbach
7/3/1852	John Oldt	W.Beaver	David Oldt	" Oldt, Simon Beaver
8/6/1852	Ann Knepp	"	Wm.Smith	H.H. Margeritz,Michael Kleckner
8/21/1852	Solomon Klose	"	Jacob Klose	Jacob Kern,Ephraim Klose
8/21/1852	Michael Kerstetter	Chapman	Christ.Kerstetter	Philip Herrold,John Herrold
9/20/1852	Daniel Swartz	Beaver	Thomas & Elias R. Swartz	Henry & George Swartz
10/5/1852	Christian Glass	Wash.	Daniel Glass	George C.Glass, Wm. Rushong
12/31/1852	Henry Yerger	Center	Henry & Israel Yerger	Fred.P.Baus,Michael Kleckner
1/1/1853	Christiana Keely	Penn	George Adams	H.C.Eyer,A. C.Simpson
1/29/1853	Catherine Blosser	Chapman	H.C.Eyer	J.K.Davis,George Schnure
1/31/1853	Jacob Mohr	Middlecreek	Moses Mohr John Straub	John Aumiller,Wm. Rushong
1/31/1853	Daniel Hoffman	W.Beaver	Peter Hoffman	John Weiand,Samuel Roush
2/1/1853	John Arbogast	Penn	George Gundrum	John H.App;S.L.Bassler
2/14/1853	Jacob Schoch	Middle-Cr'K	William & Henry Schoch	Sem Schoch,John Miller
3/14/1853	George Hoover	Chapman	Lucinda Hoover(wid.)	Wm.G.Herrold,David Wolf
3/28/1853	Barnet VanNorman	Perry	Jacob Martin	Samuel Pile,D.W.Woods

ABSTRACT OF WILLS OF SNYDER COUNTY, PA. (1772-1855)
(Taken from the Northumberland County Records of which Snyder County was a part between 1772 and 1813)

MADE	PROBATED WILL	NAME OF DECEASED	TOWNSHIP	HEIRS
1/7/1780	6/26/1780	George Bombach	Penn	Wife and children—no names given.
4/2/1781	5/18/1781	Casper Yost	Penn	Wife and children-no names given.
2/18/1787	3/20/1787	Seb.Kerstetter	"	Wife,Mary,Martin,Leonard, Peter,Sebastian,Frances; Catherine,Margaret,Exec.wife and son,Leonard.
4/9/1787	6/19/1787	Jacob German	"	WIFE:Anna.CHILDREN: Christian, John, Catherine Foulk(who had son,Christian).Rosina Ward, and Regina(Mrs.John Hammersly)
(NOTE: Jacob had land in York and Cumberland counties)				
1/27/1789	2/23/1789	John Binkley	"	WIFE:CATHERINE,CHILDREN: Catherine,Jacob,Adam,Maria, Maria,Elizabeth.
3/20/1782	8/26/1790	Peter Druckemiller	"	WIFE,ANNA MARY.CHILDREN: FREDERICK,Elizabeth(Mrs. Andrew Haffer)
7/9/1791	8/25/1791	Mathias Strayer	Beaver	WIFE,MARY MARGARET.CHILDREN: Andrew,others—no names given.
3/7/1791	12/21/1791	Jacob Newman	Penn	CHILDREN:Mich ael(oldest), Wiant,Eve,Gertrude,Elizabeth (Mrs.Jacob Kopy),Susan(Mrs. Jacob Thomas),and Ann.
2/24/1790	3/29/1790	Fred.Druckenmiller	Penn	WIFE,CHRISTINA.CHILDREN:John Fred.,Peter,Mary,Elizabeth, Margaret,Christina,Catherine Magdalene, & Barbara.
10/16/1784	3/10/1790	Tobias Bickel,Sr.	"	CHILDREN:Hanry(dead),Tobias, John,Simon,Thomas,Jacob, Catherine,Mary Elizabeth, Maria Margaret,Anna Maria, and Rosina.
5/22/1777	3/20/1783	Abraham Snyder (of Tulpehocken Tp.,Berks Co.)		WIFE—no Name.CHILDREN:Jacob, Abraham,John George,Thomas, Maria.
————	8/3/1793	Peter Witmer	Penn	WIFE—Salome.CHILDREN:Peter, Mrs.John Thornton,Mrs.John Motz,Samuel,John,Susanna.
9/29/1793	10/5/1793	Nicholas Dusing	Penn	WIFE,DOROTHY,CHILDREN:John, Elizabeth(Mrs.John Hartman)
8/14/1793	10/5/1793	Christopher Shaffer	"	WIFE,MARIA EVA ROSINA.CHILDREN Christopher,Catherine(Mrs. Paul Heim),Barbara(Mrs.Abe Markley),Elizabeth(Mrs.Phil. Foulkrod),John,Philip,Andrew, Jacob,Rosina,Daniel,Magdalene Anna Maria.
2/12/1794	4/14/1794	Jacob Dreese (of Albany Twp. Berks Co.,Pa.)	Beaver	WIFE—no name CHILDREN:John, Jacob,Mary Magdalene,Peter, Mary Elizabeth,Christina. BROTHER: John

				Janet Neitz,Abigail Gerl, Susan Frantz,Nancy,Margaret. BROTHER:Leonard (exec.)
2/22/1804	7/6/1804	Peter Wagner	Beaver	WIFE:Maria Margaret Roger, dau. of Adam.CHILDREN:Peter, Susan.BROTHER:Jacob.
12/6/1803	7/6/1804	Andrew Meeck	"	WIFE,Anna Maria.CHILDREN: Margaret,Henry,Andrew,John (youngest)
8/3/1804	8/27/1804	Elias Wagner	"	WIFE, Eva.CHILDREN: John and six other sons--no names. Mrs.Daniel Musser, and four other daughters--no names
7/16/1804	12/4/1804	Magdalene Kerstetter (wid.of Sebastian)	Mahantango	CHILDREN:Martin, and others. GRAND-DAUGHTER:Magdalene Miller.
	6/29/1805	John Snyder (Probably Capt.John)	"	WIFE,Susanna.CHILDREN:John, George,Mary Neitz,Elizabeth (Mrs.George Kerstetter), Jacob,Margaret Stahley.
1/10/1805	1/28/1805	Christina Meyer (widow of Chas.)	Penn	CHILDREN:Anna Maria(Mrs.Peter Richter),Martin,Charles,Jacob, Frederick,Catherine(Mrs.John Haas)
9/13/1805	10/22/1805	David Disler	Mahantango	WIFE,Elizabeth,CHILDREN--no names given EXECUTOR:John Hafflich
10/31/1805	12/7/1805	Adam Shower,Sr.	Center	WIFE;Elizabeth.CHILDREN:Jacob, Fred,Adam,John,Magdalene, Elizabeth,Anna Mary.
2/4/1806	2/22/1806	George P.Motz (Buried at Freeburg,Pa.)	Penn	WIFE,Mary.CHILDREN: John, Mrs.Lorentz Hains,Susan, Barbara(youngest),and two others--no names.
8/30/1803	2/25/1806	John Graybill	Mahantango	WIFE,Barbara,CHILDREN:Christian,Jacob,John,Susan(Mrs. John Snyder),Barbara Shaffer, Magdalene(Mrs.Harman Snyder, Jr. Catherine(Mrs.Peter Seachrist),Anna Acker,Mary Kneply.
1/9/1805	4/28/1806	Hugh Gwynn	Penn	WIFE: Margaret.CHILDREN: George,William,Hugh,Samuel, Daniel,Thomas,Margaret(Mrs. John Tate),Mary(Mrs.Jacob Overmire),Deborah(Mrs.Archibald Mars)
2/15/1802	8/29/1806	Capt.Jos.Green	Beaver	WIFE,Mary.CHILDREN: George (General)Abbott,Elizabeth Shively,Alice McCoy, John Timothy,Joseph,William,Thomas
	10/20/1806	Peter Maurer		WIFE, Catherine,CHILDREN: John,Peter,Philip,Mrs.Jacob Billman,probably others.
7/13/1803	2/25/1807	Francis P.Brenner	Penn	WIFE Mary Catherine Elizabeth. CHILDREN: Cath.Elizabeth(Mrs. John Berry),John Daniel,Francis Ludwig--dead (left

SNYDER COUNTY WILLS

(Taken from Union County Records, of which Snyder was a part(1813-1855)

DATE PROBATED	DATE MADE	NAME OF DECEASED	TOWNSHIP	HEIRS
3/8/1814		George Ott	Penn	Daniel Barbara(Mrs.Joseph Feehrer) Susan(Mrs.Michael Beaver,Sr.) Catherine(Mrs.Jacob Jarret) Frederick Hannah(Mrs.JohnLeyman) Christina(Mrs.Nicholas Potius Elizabeth(Mrs.John Steininger Maria(Mrs.Peter Dreese)
3/16/1814		David Reading	Center	Wife and children,no names given.(James Wales,Executor)
6/3/1814		Henry Rine	Mahantango	Wife: Christina. John,Margaret Neyman; Ann Elizabeth Shetterly;Christina Coleman; Barbara Coleman(had son named Henry),Catherine (Mrs. Peter Lambert),Christina(Mrs. Frederick Meiser
10/13/1814		Henry Schnepp	Center	WIFE: Catherine John,Henry,Catherine,Christina,Elizabeth,WITNESSES: Peter Freed and Christian Miller
2/9/1815		John Hens(Hains)	Mantango	WIFE: Regina Schuster George,Lorentz,Fred,Peter, Jacob Margaret(Mrs.Peter Freed) Anna Mary(Mrs.Peter Stroup) Catherine(Mrs.Henry Heimbach) Elizabeth(Mrs.John Smith) Christina(Mrs.Henry Mertz)
5/6/1815		Michael Moyer	Center	WIFE: Barbara Barbara Fisher(servant) Susan,sister(Mrs.Henry Moyer) Jacob Krick,brother-in-law Jacob Moyer,Tanner,cousin,of Beaver Twp.
5/27/1815		Jacob Grubb	Center	WIFE: Elizabeth John,Henry,Susan,Jacob,Elizabeth,Catherine
7/14/1815		Michael Albright	Mahantango	WIFE: Catherine Emanuel,Elizabeth (Adam Light,Executor)
7/29/1815		Jacob Lepley	Center	WIFE: Catherine(Executor) Jacob(Oldest son),Henry (Execut.)Anthony,Margaret Kern,Michael,John Catherine Kern,Elizabeth;Adam;Christian, and Mary.
9/1/1815		Mart.Kerstetter	Beaver	WIFE:ELIZABETH(Executor) Tobias(Executor)of East Buffalo Township. Three other sons(no names given) Six daughters(no names given)

5/11/1833	3/26/1834	Catherine Knouse	Penn	SON:Abraham,possible others
3/8/1834	4/4/1834	John Baker	Selinsgrove	WIFE:Sarah.CHILDREN:Mrs.John Thurston,Elizabeth Sneth,and probably others.
1/23/1833	4/5/1834	Mathias Spotz	Penn	CHILDREN:Barbara(Mrs.Jacob Garman),Eve(Mrs.Fred Young),Elizabeth(Mrs.John Boyer),Polly(Mrs.Christian Kantz)
9/25/1832	6/5/1834	Peter Hilbish	Wash.	WIFE:Susan.CHILDREN:Daniel (youngest),Catherine(Mrs. Benjamin Hummel),Elizabeth,(Mrs.Jacob Heinly),Sarah(Mrs. Samuel Yoder),Susan(Mrs.John Hummel),John,Henry,Peter,Jacob.
3/2/1834	7/24/1834	George Margeritz	Beaver	WIFE:Charlotte.CHILDREN: Harman,Margaret,Edward,Eliza,Bertha,John,Emelie
6/15/1833	9/15/1834	Catherine Deobler	Penn	CHILDREN:Charles(who had a wife,Mary,and daughter, Catherine),Catherine(Mrs. Isaac Dreibelbis),Anthony,Jacob,Lewis,Solomon.

WILLS OF PEOPLE WHO LIVED OUTSIDE OF THE PRESENT SNYDER COUNTY,PENNSYLVANIA

6/2/1788	8/18/1788	John Shaffer (Northumberland Co.)	Mahanoy Twp.	WIFE:Maria Eva.CHILDREN:Lieut. John Adam,John Nicholas,John Michael,Andrew,John George,Catherine(dead),Elizabeth,Magdalene.
1/29/1789	8/7/1790	Jonas Focht	Buffalo	CHILDREN:Barbara,Eva,Anna,Elizabeth, and Michael(who had a son named Jonas),
10/25/1784	2/25/1791	Peter Born	"	WIFE:Barbara.CHILDREN:Peter,Henry,John,Susan,Catherine,Elizabeth,Sarah,Barbara,Christina.
	1/5/1795	Joseph Doebler (Rev.soldier)	"	SISTERS AND BROTHERS:Elizabeth Shenks,Catherine,Barbara,Christopher.
	11/17/1798	Martin Kerstetter (Northd.Co.)	Mahanoy	WIFE:Elizabeth.CHILDREN:John Adam,John,Margaret,Elizabeth,Rudolph,Barbara,Anna,Catherine.
	10/11/1800	Jacob Anderson (Snyder Co.)	Penn	WIFE:Jennie.DAUGHTERS:Susan,Elizabeth.
	6/22/1802	Christopher Witmer	Mahanoy	WIFE:Eva Christina;Children;Christopher,and others.
	3/9/1813	" Seebold	Buffalo	WIFE:Barbara.CHILDREN:Margaret (Mrs.And.Wagner,who had Catherine and William);Stella (Mrs.Mich.Greenhoe,who had Jacob),John,Christopher.
	2/2/1822	Jacob Focht	New Berlin	U.S. Soldier.

10/6/1789	Adam Smith,Sr.	Catherine.CHILDREN:Adam,Margaret,George,Michael, Catherine,Barbara(minor)
4/5/1791	Leonard Kerstetter	Henry,George,and Barbara,Minors
4/5/1791	George Levingood	George,under 14;John,Jacob,both above 14 yrs.
"	Phil.Conrad Aumiller	Conrad Aumiller,Abigail Borrah,and Elizabeth Snyder,
"	Peter Borrah	Jacob Borrah & David Miller,administrators.
5/19/1791	Henry Zeller	CHILDREN:John,Henry,Michael,Andrew,Fred,Tobias, Peter,Margaret Elizabeth(Mrs.Nicholas Klutz),Elizabeth(Mrs.Mich.Swingle),Ann Amelia(Mrs.Andrew Berger)
7/5/1791	Jacob Aurand	Catherine(above 14),Henry,John,Elizabeth,George, and Jacob,all under 14.
11/30/1792	Henry Bickel	WIFE:Regina(now Mrs.Geo.Schoch).CHILDREN:Christopher,Sophia(Mrs.Henry Peters),Maria Catherine(plus 14) Maria Elizabeth and Henry,both under 14.
1/—1793	Philip Bower	of Penn Twp.left wife:Elizabeth.BROTHER:George.
8/27/1793	Theobald Miller	" " ". Daniel (under 14).
12/30/1793	George Pfile	" " " .WIFE:Frena.CHILDREN:Henry(oldest), Jacob,George,Barbara(Mrs.Jacob Zellers);Anna(Mrs. Jacob Lower),and Mary(Mrs.Daniel Bracht,or Brought)
3/31/1794	Anthony Selin	Anthony C.,and Agnes Selin,both under 14.
9/22/1794	Theobald Miller	of Penn Twp.WIFE:Mary(now Mrs.Geo.May).CHILDREN: Benj.,Valentine,Daniel,Margaret(Mrs.John Metzger), Catherine(Mrs.John Adams—dead—no issue),Elizabeth, Mary.
8/27/1795	Nicholas Zell	of Lancaster County owned land in Penn Twp.,Northumberland Co.He left a widow and eight children. J acob was 2nd son.
"	Peter Markley	Peter,Elizabeth,Margaret(all above 14),and Eva, Under 14 years.Other children were Jacob(oldest), Barbara(Mrs.Baltzer Mitterling),and Catherine(Mrs. Michael Miller)
1/27/1796	Henry Bollender	George,under 14 in 1796.
11/—/1796	Ludwig Kline	Penn Twp. Widow,Catherine.
1/23/1797	Jacob Levingood	CHILDREN:Peter(oldest),Elizabeth(Mrs.Thos.Crawford), Rebecca(Mrs.Ludwig Bachman),Joseph, Catherine,Polly, Esther.
"	George Levingood	of Mahantango Twp.Widow,Maria.CHILDREN:Jacob,John, (above 14),George.
4/25/1797	Ludwig Kline	Isaac,under 14,
8/27/1797	William Weirick	Widow,Catherine,who married a Kuhn,and a son Henry, under 14,
1/23/1797	Jacob Morton	of Mahantango Twp. died 1/6/1797.Anna.
1/24/1798	Christian Sechrist	" " " left widow,and six Children:Christian(oldest),Peter,Mary(above 14),John,Anna,and Henry,all under 14.
"	John Hager	Widow,Elizabeth,who married John Kendig,and one child now dead.BROTHERS AND SISTERS:Fred,Henry, Jacob,Catherine,Christina,Susan.
4/28/1798	Sebastian Weaver	Widow,Mary and seven children:Anthony,John,Sebastian,Elizabeth,Catherine,George,Jacob.
3/4/1799	Peter Stoke(Stock)	Peter(above 14) and Melchoir,Michael,and Elizabeth, all under 14 Years.
4/23/1799	Jacob Aurand	Sons: George,and John
6/—/1799	Andrew Fox	Widow,Eve,who married Michael Redingbaugh(maybe Reichenbach).CHILDREN:Conrad,Mary,Elizabeth(plus 14)

The first mention of a Kerstetter in Pennsylvania that I have as yet been able to find lists Adam, Martin, and Leonard Kerstetter as privates during the Revolutionary War. They appear in the muster-roll of Captain Benjamin Weiser's company of the German Regiment, at Philadelphia, January 30, 1777.

The 1790 Pensylvania census lists 6 Kerstetters, all in Northumberland Company. However, the surname, in this census, is spelled Castater in every case. Unfortunately, the Northumberland Company census was not returned in townships but all of the listings are fairly close to each other and occur near the end of the county listing. First in the census is Martin Castater. His household consists of 2 males under 16 and 2 females. The second listing is Mary Castater. There is one male 16 years or older, and 4 other females in her household. Next is John Castater. He has 2 sons under 16 and 3 daughters with his wife. The third Castater is Adam. In his household is one male under 16 and 4 females. Following Adam, is Leonard Castater with one male under 16 and 3 females in his household. Finally, there appears a second Leonord (notice the spelling). In his household all 5 males under 16 and one female.

This 1800 Pennsylvania census shows four Kerstetters, spelled either Kersteder or Kerstader, in Northumberland Co., all in Mahonoy township. In the household of Rudith Kersteder, who is between 25 and 45 years, are two males under 10 and 1 female between 24 and 45. Adam Kersteder's household is listed next consisting of 4 males under 10 1 between 15 and 25, himself at 45 years or older, 1 female under 10, 3 of 10 but under 16 years, and 1 between 24 and 45. In the household of John Kersteder, age 24 to 45, is 1 male and 2 females under 10, 1 male and 3 females of 10 but under 16 years of age, and 1 female between 24 and 45 years. Last is Leonard Kerstader who is 45 or older.

In his household are 3 males and 1 female under 10, 3 males of 10 but under 16, 1 male and 1 female of 16 but under 25, all 1 female of 26 but under 45 years of age.

John, George, Leonard, Martin, John Jr., and the Widow Kerstetter were listed as residents of the newly created Mahontango township in 1796.[2] This township no longer exists, having been divided into Chapman, Perry and West Perry Townships which are all now a part of Snyder County.

In the 1810 Pennsylvania census, 5 Kerstetters are listed in Northumberland Co. Upper Mahoney township has listed Leonard Kerstator, a farmer of 45 or older with 3 males and 2 females under 10, 2 males and 1 female of 10 but under 16, and 1 female of 26 but under 45 in his household. Martin Kerstater, also a farmer of 45 or older, is listed in Beaver towhship contained in Union Co. in 1813 but a part of Snyder after 1855. His household consists of 1 male and 2 females under 10, 1 female of 10 to 16, 1 male and 1 female of 16 to 26, and 1 female of 26 to 45 years. The last three live in Mohantango Township later of Union and then Snyder Counties. George Kerstater, a blacksmith of 45 or older, had 1 male and 1 female under 10, 2 males of 10 to 16, 1 male and 1 female of 16 to 26, and 1 female of 26 to 45 years of age living in household. Finally, in the household of George Kerstater, a shoemaker of 16 to 26 years, are 2 females under 10 and 1 female of 16 to 26 years of age.

Martin Kerstetter is confirmed to be in Beaver township. He is listed as farmer in this township sometime between 1814 and 1835.[3]

The year 1820 shows George Kerstetter, blacksmith, to be living in Washington township in what was then Union County, now a part of Snyder County. He is listed as a Revolutionary War veteran having served 4 years in Captain Burk art's company, Colonel Hunsecker's regiment. His wife's name was Elizabeth and their children were Jacob and Dorthy.[4] I can find no reference to a Burkhart or Hunsecker having served in the Continental Army. George most likely served in Captain Daniel Burchardt's company of Colonel Nicholas Haussegger's German Regiment.

A George Kerstetter is listed as an Evangelical Lutheran deacon involved in the erection of the second Dreisback Church in 1839.[5] This church was located in Buffalo township in Union County.

The last Kerstetter reference I found was that of a Samuel Kerstetter. He married Catherine Ringler (10/24/1852 - fall of 1882) and had four children, Adda, Clarence, Florence, and Cora.[6] Their residence was apparently in Union County.

Now, information given me by Dr. Thomas Kerstetter Ellis gives the year of birth for Leonard Kirchsteater, Sr. and his first son, Leonard, Jr. as 1756 and 1783, respectively. Accepting these dates as accurate brings an apparent contradiction to light. Dr. Ellis' information indicates Leonard, Sr. to have at least four sons in 1790. This would fit, with the second Leonard listed in the 1790 census who is listed as having 5 sons. But who is the other Leonard? Leonard, Jr. would only be 7 years old in 1790. Correlating the information, it is possible to consider Adam, Martin, Leonard, Sr., the blacksmith George, and John, Sr. to be brothers. It seems unlikely that they have another brother named Leonard. Could this second Leonard be the father of the above brothers? It would seem likely. Due to geographical location, he is probably the Leonard listed in 1796. He then disappears (dies?) by 1800 and Leonard, Jr. then appears in 1810 Other questions arise from this information. Where is the blacksmith George in 1790 and 1800? Why isn't he listed in those censuses when he is apparently in Mohantango township in 1796? Is Rudith a brother of Adam, Martin, etc.? Is he the son of one of them? Are John and John, Jr. father and son? Is John, Jr. the above brother and John the father? Is John an uncle of the above brothers? What has happened to one or the other in 1800? From the ages of the children the Johns listed in 1790 and 1800 are probably the same person. Also, the Mary listed in 1790 and the Widow Kerstetter in 1796 are probably the same person. Who is she? Whose widow is she? Another brother's Is she the mother of these brothers? Which George is the Lutheran deacon?

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(1) History of the Susquehanna and Juniata Valleys, Pennsylvania, Everts, Pick, and Richards, pub., Philadelphia, 1886, Vol. 'I, p. 104

(2) Same, Vol. II, pp 1547, 1548

(3) Same, Vol. II, p. 1507

(4) Same, Vol. I, p. 119

(5) Same, Vol. II, p. 1302

(6) Same, Vol. II, P. 1304

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apparently in Mahantango township in 1790? Is Rudolph a brother [illegible] Adam, Martin, etc.? Is he the son of one of them? Are John and [illegible], Jr. father and son? Is John, Sr. the above brother and John the [illegible] Richard? Is John an uncle of the above brothers? What had happened to [illegible] the father in 1800? From the ages of the children the Johns listed in 1790 and 1800 are probably the same [illegible]. The Mary [illegible] in 1793 and the widow [illegible] in 1796 are probably the same person. Who is [illegible] whose widow [illegible] another [illegible] is the grandfather of these brothers? Which [illegible] took [illegible]

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(6) Same, Vol. II, p. 1504

said that the Rev. Dr. William Hendel, Sr., was the organizer. The Lutheran congregation may have been organized by Rev. J. M. Enterline. A Patent for a tract of forty-two acres of land was issued in 1774 to Andrew Morr, Peter Straub and Caspar Roush.

A log church building was partly erected in 1787 but never completed yet used in that condition for many years. At its cornerstone laying it was named Zion's Church. It was also known as Morr's Church, in honor of Andrew Morr, a leading member.

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in the edifice about 1827. One was at the east end of the aisle and the other at the west end. Pipes connected the stove with a big drum overhead from which a pipe extended into the chimney. The church had a cupola which contained a good bell. The church entrance probably faced the south. The members of the building committee were as follows: Christian Boyer and Jacob Roush, Lutheran; Henry Stetler and John Nagle, Reformed.

This second building served the community of Freeburg until March 23, 1868, when work was started for the erection of the present brick building, the cornerstone of which was laid on August 2, 1869. The church was completed and dedicated on June 19, 1870. It might be added that a tract of six acres of the original land is still in the possession of the Lutheran congregation one mile north of Freeburg.

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4 Johann Martin KERSTETTER
B: 9 DEC 1733
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M: 1 JUN 1756
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D: 1798
P: Northumberland County, PA

9 Maria Doro
B: 1697
P: Bohnfelt
D: 1741
P: PA

2 Johannes KERSTETTER
B: ABT. 1760
P: Cleona, PA
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D: 1813
P: Miles Twp., Centre County, PA

10 Hans BICK
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5 Elisabetha BICKEL
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11 Barbara WI
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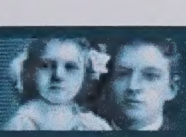

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4 Wolf KIRSTATTER
B: 1618
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2 Hans Leonhardt KIRSTATTER
B: 28 NOV 1668
P: Northern Kraichgau, Germany
M: BEF. 1697
P: Baden, Germany
D:
P: Obergimpern, Germany

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5 Madalena UNKNOWN
B:
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1 Johann-Martine KEARSTUTER
B: 5 SEP 1697
P: Obergimpern, Germeny
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ID: I1722
Name: Johannes KERSTETTER
Sex: M
Birth: ABT. 1760 in Cleona, PA
Death: 1813 in Miles Twp., Centre County, PA

Father: Johann Martin KERSTETTER b: 9 DEC 1733
Mother: Elisabetha BICKEL b: 15 JAN 1735/36 in Affoltern am Albis, Switzerland

Marriage 1 Catarina WOLF b: ABT. 1760

Children

1. Martin KERSTETTER b: BET. 1784 - 1790
2. Mary Magdalena KERSTETTER
3. John KERSTETTER b: ABT. 1791
4. Elizabeth KERSTETTER
5. Maria KERSTETTER
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ID: I0226
Name: Johann Martin KERSTETTER
Sex: M
Birth: 9 DEC 1733
Death: 1798 in Northumberland County, PA

Father: Johann-Martine KEARSTUTER b: 5 SEP 1697 in Obergimpern, Germeny
Mother: Maria Dorothea FREY b: 1697 in Bohnfelt, Germany

Marriage 1 Elisabetha BICKEL b: 15 JAN 1735/36 in Affoltern am Albis, Switzerland

- *Married:* 1 JUN 1756

Children

1. Johan Adam KERSTETTER b: 28 AUG 1757 in Cleona, PA
2. Johannes KERSTETTER b: ABT. 1760 in Cleona, PA
3. Anna Margaretha KERSTETTER b: JUL 1766
4. Elisabetha KERSTETTER
5. Rudolph KERSTETTER b: ABT. 1774 in Northumberland County, PA
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- *ID:* I0064
- *Name:* Johann-Martine KEARSTUTER
- *Sex:* M
- *Birth:* 5 SEP 1697 in Obergimpern, Germeny
- *Death:* 6 APR 1759 in Lebanon Twp, Lancaster Co., PA
- *Note:*

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Martin and Dorothea were married in the Lutheran church at Neckarbischofsheim.
The entry in the marriage record said in German, "They are going to Pennsylvania."

Martin, the son of Leonhardt and Anna Ursula Kirstatter, was born in Obergimpern and baptized on Sept. 5 or 15, 1697. He married Maria Dorothea Frey of nearby Bonfelt on April 29, 1727, in the Lutheran church at Neckarbischofsheim. The entry in the marriage record said in German, "They are going to Pennsylvania." Maria Dorothea was the daughter of Johann Martin Frey and Anna Apollonia Junger.

In the spring of 1727, Joh. Martin and his bride left their family homes in the Northern Kraichgau and joined a wave of German immigration to Pennsylvania.

The couple arrived in Philadelphia in the fall of 1727 and eventually settled on a farm just north of Cleona, then part of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, and now part of Lebanon County. Dorothea probably died after the birth of her daughter, Juliana, in 1741. From the records that survive, it appears that Martin and Dorothea had seven children. Martin remarried on June 19 or July 19, 1744, and his second wife Magdalena Huckenberger was still living

at the time of his death in 1759.

From the records that survive, it appears that Martin and Dorothea had seven children and Martin and Magdalena only one.

Pennsylvania was established by William Penn as a haven from religious persecution. Penn recruited immigrants in Germany, and roughly one-third of the early settlers of Pennsylvania were German.

Germany had been devastated during the Thirty Years' War that ended in 1648. The Palatinate was rebuilt, only to be devastated again by the French under Louis XIV. The state also became a center of religious conflict and oppression of Protestants under its Catholic elector John William in the early years of the 18th century.

Some Palatines fled to England in 1709 and 1710 and eventually resettled in the New World. The great migration direct from the Palatinate to Pennsylvania began about 1717 and lasted several decades.

Getting to North America in those early years was dangerous as well as thoroughly disagreeable. Immigrants typically started out on boats down the Neckar River from Heilbronn and then down the Rhine to Rotterdam. The trip down the Rhine lasted four to six weeks and involved delay after delay at 26 different customs houses on route. Immigrants boarded ships at Rotterdam and normally went to an English port before setting out across the Atlantic. The ocean crossing took 7 to 12 weeks depending on the winds.

Gottlieb Mittelberger described the hardships suffered during a crossing in 1750. Passengers were packed into steerage like herrings without proper food and water and were ravaged by disease. Mittelberger said 32 children died on his ship, and even that wasn't the worst of the horror.

"One day, just as we had a heavy gale, a woman in our ship, who was to give birth and could not under the circumstances of the storm, was pushed through the porthole and dropped into the sea, because she was in the rear of the ship and could not be brought forward."

Martin was probably the only Kirstaetter from Northern Kraighgau to immigrate to the American colonies. He and Dorothea were among the 300 "Palatinates" who arrived in Philadelphia aboard the ship Malley or Molley (probably Molly) from Rotterdam and Deal, an English port just north of Dover.

By the fall of 1727, the Provincial Council of Pennsylvania had become concerned about the number of Germans entering the colony. At a meeting on Sept. 21, it approved the text of an oath to be signed by new arrivals:

"We subscribers, natives and late inhabitants of the Palatinate upon the Rhine & places adjacent, having transported ourselves and families into this province of Pensilvania, a colony subject to the Crown of

Great Britain, in hopes and expectation of finding a retreat & peaceable settlement therein, do solemnly promise & engage that we will be faithful & bear true allegiance to his present Majesty King George the Second, and his successors Kings of Great Britain, and will be faithfull to the proprietor of this province; and that we will demean ourselves peaceably to all his said Majesties subjects, and strictly observe & conform to the laws of England and of this province, to the utmost of our power and best of our understanding."

Martin swore the oath on Sept. 30 along with about 70 other heads of families.

It is not known exactly when the family settled near Cleona, but it was before the birth of Joh. Martin in December 1733. The gap in the records between 1727 and 1733 suggests Martin may have spent several years as a bound laborer to work off the cost of coming to Pennsylvania.

Many of the early immigrants bartered their labor for their passage under arrangements known as the redemptioner system. Immigrants were recruited in Germany by agents called "newlanders" who worked for Dutch merchants and shipping companies. The immigrants signed agreements to pay for their passage on arrival, but the debts were actually discharged by buyers in the New World. In return, the newcomers went to work as bound laborers for the buyers for periods of three to six years.

Rev. Henry M. Muehlenberg, in an account written in 1769, described what happened when a ship arrived in Philadelphia. One or more merchants got an accounting of the money owed by the immigrants, announcements were published
in the newspapers stating how many new arrivals were to be sold, and the ship was turned into a marketplace.

"The buyers make their choice among the arrivals and bargain with them for a certain number of years and days. They then take them to the merchant, pay their passage and their other debts and receive from the government authorities a written document which makes the newcomers their property for a definite period."

However they began their lives in Pennsylvania, Martin and his family eventually settled near Cleona. Martin was an active member of the Hill Church congregation. Hill Evangelical Lutheran Church was sometimes known as Quitapohila Hill Church. When the church became a Lutheran and Reformed Church in 1744, Martin was one of 26 Lutherans to sign the "union" agreement.

The family homestead was located east or northeast of Hill Church, separated from the church property by the land of Hans Ring. A land warrant, somewhat akin to an option to purchase land, was issued to Martin on May 23, 1745, for 235 1/2 acres of land. Another warrant for 203 1/2 acres was issed on May 11, 1753, to his oldest son Sebastian. The exact location of Sebastians' land isn't known for sure, but from the names of

neighbors listed on a later survey, it was probably in the same general area.

Martin was on the assessment list for Lebanon Township in Lancaster County in 1750 and 1755, and his homestead was assessed seven shillings and sixpence in 1759, the year of his death. Sebastian was on the assessment list for the same township in 1758.

Martin wrote his will on April 30, 1759, and it was filed at the Lancaster County courthouse on May 15. The original Will was probably written in German, but it could not be found during a visit to the courthouse in 1982. The English text of the Will recorded in the County Will Book reads as follows:

"IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN, the 30 day of April in the year of our Lord 1759, I Martin Kirstetter senior in the Township of Lebanon in the County of Lancaster & province of Pennsylvania farmer; being very sich & weake in body but of perfect & sound mind, & memory and not knowing what hour the Lord will be pleased to call me out of this world; & leaving some worldly goods behind me; do make & ordain this my last will and testamt. THAT is to say principally I recommend my sour in the hands of God who gave it, and for my body if I depart hence, it is my desire that it may be buried into the ground, after a Christian like and decent manner; such as possible, hoping to receive the same again at the general resurrection by the mightly power of God, & to be united with my soul to inherit everlasting salvation AND as touching my worldly estate I leave behind me, I give devise and dispose, of the same in the following manner & form that after all my just debts are paid and satisfied I give and bequeath (1) unto my well beloved wife Magdalene eighty pound in Pennsylvania lawful Cunt. [Continental?] money to be paid unto her as followeth, ten pounds thereof in six months after my decease ten pounds more in twelve months time, after my departure twenty pounds thereof in two years time after my death twenty pound more in three years time after the day of my decease & the last twenty pounds in four years time after the day of my departure a feather bed below and above; five pillows two sheets, besides the sundry bases about each of them pieces or parcells mentioned; the curtains and bed stead thereto belonging likewise a new wallnut chest with all her cloaths, her spinning wheel a new Balselax Bible; a good meal bag, a copper pot; & a small brass kettle; & a pail and ladle, a baton, two pewter plates & two spoons, & a good milk cow, instead of her full dower; third part and proportion of both real and personal estate which other ways she hath or might hath a right to claim by the law, which parcels or parts as above mentioned, shall be exhibited & paid unto her by my exrs appointed & no more (2) I give and bequeath to my eldest Sebastian Kirstetter the sum of ten pounds in the above currency, before hand as being heir at law & no more (3) I will and order that all my both real and personal estate, shall by my exes be sold in the best and profitable manner, as posseble, except as before excepted, and after my wifes legacey, & and eldest sons gift & just debts, are paid & thereof substracted, the remainder is to be equally divided among all my children seven in number four sons & three daughters; (4) I ordain, appoint & constitute for exes of this my last will and testament my eldest son

Sebastian Kirstetter & my beloved friend & neighbor Conrad Brown AND hereby
I utterly disallow revoke and annull all other former testaments, wills and legaceys, before this named willed bequeathed, ratifying & conforming this & no other to be my last will and testament,
WITNESS whereof I have hereto set my hand & seal the day & year above mentioned."

The will was witnessed by Anastasius Uhler, Valentine Keller and Joannes Martin Kimmerlin. Kimmerlin was no doubt the Kuemmerling who married Martin's daughter Elisabetha.

Martin remarried on June 19, or July 19, 1744, and his second wife, Magdalena Huckenberger, was still living at the time of his death in 1759. From the records that survive, it appears that Martin and Magdalena had only one child.

It is not known where Martin, his first wife Maria Dorothea or other members of the immediate family are buried. The family lived just a stone's throw from Hill Church, but the early tombstones were carved very lightly and have been unreadable for years. There are no surviving records of any Kerstetter burials there.

Martin's second wife, Magdalena, married Johannes Muller in Lancaster on May 19, 1760.

The attachment of the Kerstetter family to the Lebanon County area turned out to be brief. Even before the Revolutionary War, the four sons of Martin and their families were on the move to new homes in central Pennsylvania. It wasn't long before the more adventurous members of the family set out for newly opened lands in Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and Tennessee.

The first moves were to Northumberland County, Pennsylvania, which then included bast tracts of land on both sides of the Susquehanna River. Sebastian and Michael journeyed west of the river to what is now Snyder County about 1770. Martin and Leonhardt settled east of the Susquehanna in the southern part of present-day Northumberland County a bit later.

Father: Hans Leonhardt KIRSTATTER b: 28 NOV 1668 in Northern Kraichgau, Germany
Mother: Anna URSULA b: 1675 in Northern Kraichgau, Germany

Marriage 1 Maria Dorothea FREY b: 1697 in Bohnfelt, Germany

- *Married:* 29 APR 1727 in Neckarbischofsheim, Germany
- *Note:* Johann and Maria arrived in America on 30 September 1727 on the Dutch ship " Molly " .

Children

1. Sebastian KERSTETTER b: 1730 in Cleona, PA
2. Johan Michael KERSTETTER b: 3 SEP 1739
3. Johann Martin KERSTETTER b: 9 DEC 1733
4. Elisabetha KERSTETTER b: 8 APR 1736
5. Johannes KERSTETTER b: 3 SEP 1739
6. Juliana KERSTETTER b: 25 JAN 1740/41
7. Margaretha KERSTETTER

Marriage 2 Magdalena HUCKENBERGER b: ABT. 1701 in Obergimpern, Germany

- *Married:* 19 JUN 1744 in Lebanon County, PA

Children

1. Johan Leonhardt KERSTETTER b: ABT. 1747

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Name: Maria Dorothea FREY
Sex: F
Birth: 1697 in Bohnfelt, Germany
Death: 1741 in PA

Father: John Martin FREY b: ABT. 1670 in Northern Kraichgau, Germany
Mother: Apollonia JUNGER b: ABT. 1670 in Northern Kraichgau, Badenwurt, Germany

Marriage 1 Johann-Martine KEARSTUTER b: 5 SEP 1697 in Obergimpern, Germeny

- *Married:* 29 APR 1727 in Neckarbischofsheim, Germany
- *Note:* Johann and Maria arrived in America on 30 September 1727 on the Dutch ship " Molly " .

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- *ID:* I0067
- *Name:* Hans Leonhardt KIRSTATTER
- *Sex:* M
- *Birth:* 28 NOV 1668 in Northern Kraichgau, Germany
- *Death:* in Obergimpern, Germany
- *Note:*

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Leonhardt (Hans Leonhardt) Kerstetter/Kirstatter born 1698.

The origins of the Kerstetter family date back at least four centuries to the region of Germany southeast of Heidelberg known as the Northern Kraichgau. Kerstetters were living in the area before the end of the 16th century and may have been there in previous centuries. Where they came from originally is not known.

Siebmacher's Wappelbuch suggests that one branch of the family was part of the nobility in Vienna from the Middle Ages. An early entry from the year 1178 refers to an Udalrich de Chirchstetter as witness to a donation to the church. Later entries for von Kirchstetter and Kirchstetter continue through 1849 and suggest the family moved in court circles and was associated with law, the University of Vienna and perhaps the military.

Kerstetters in the Northern Kraichgau were apparently commoners. The family is most often identified with Obergimpern, a village not far from the Neckar River is an area that is largely Lutheran. A few miles to the north is the tiny community of Kirstetterhof that presumably had some association with the family at one time. Visitors to the community in 1990 found only three buildings there.

Family historians have traced five early generations of Kerstetters down through Joh. Martin Kirstatter, who left Germany in 1727 for Pennsylvania:

Wolff Kurstetter and his wife Anna were born about 1575.

Wolflein Kurstetter, son of Wolff and Anna.

Wolf Kirstetter was born about 1618 in Obergimpern. His wife's name was Magdalena.

Hans Leonhardt Kirstatter was born in Obergimpern on November 28, 1668. His wife's name was Anna Ursula.

Joh. Martin Kirstatter and his wife Maria Dorothea Frey.

International Genealogical Index microfishe records compiled by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints contain several dozen listings in Germany, but none in Austria, for Kirstetter, Kirschtetter and similar spellings of the name in the 17th, 18th and 19th centuries.

Most of the early listings are from Obergimpern, but there were notable exceptions. One record shows the marriage of Hans Kirstetter to Sybilla Schroeder on Nov. 9, 1639, in the Roman Catholic church in the town of Rees in the Rhineland. Five children of Phillippi and Maria Clara Kirchstetter were baptized between 1671 and 1680 in the Catholic church in Deidesheim in the Palatinate southwest of Mannheim. Another record lists the marriage of Anna Kirstaetter to Johann Jorge Noelle on Feb. 16, 1684, in the town of Soest in Westphalia.

The IGI listings from Obergimpern date from about 1625. Unfortunately, they contain only the barest of genealogical information. From the records surviving, it is impossible to know whether many or only a few Kirstatter families were living in the area in the 17th century.

Father: Wolf KIRSTATTER b: 1618 in Obergimpern, Germany
Mother: Madalena UNKNOWN

Marriage 1 Anna URSULA b: 1675 in Northern Kraichgau, Germany

- *Married:* BEF. 1697 in Baden, Germany

Children

1. Johann-Martine KEARSTUTER b: 5 SEP 1697 in Obergimpern, Germeny

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4 Martin (Johann Martin) KERSTE
B: 9 DEC 1733
P: Lebanon, Lebanon Co., Pa.
M: 1 JUN 1756
P: Lebanon, Lebanon Co., Pa.
D: 24 NOV 1798
P: Penn Twp., Northumberland Co., P

2 John (Johannes Carstetter) KERSTETTER
B: 1761
P: Lebanon Co., Pa.
M:
P:
D: 1813
P: Sugar Valley, Miles Twp., Centre Co., Pa.

5 Elisabetha Bickel (BIKEL)
B: 15 JAN 1734/35
P: Affoltern, am Albis, Switzerland
D: Deceased
P: Pa.

1 Juliana KERSTETTER
B:
P:
D: Deceased
P:

6 WOLF
B:
P:
M:
P:
D: Deceased
P:

3 Catharine (Catarina) WOLF
B: ABT. 1766
P:
D: ABT. 1828

P:

7 UNKNOWN (WOLF)
B:
P:
D: Deceased
P:

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Pedigree Chart

Chart no. ______

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1 Juliana KERSTETTER
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died:
Place:

(Spouse of no. 1)

(Johannes CARSTETTER)
2 John KERSTETTER
(Father of no. 1)
Born/Chr: 1761
Place: Lebanon Co, Pa
Married:
Place:
Died: 1813
Place: Sugar Valley, Miles Twp., Centre Co, Pa

(Catarina)
3 Catharine WOLF
(Mother of no. 1)
Born/Chr: Ca 1766
Place:
Died: Ca 1828
Place:

Johann Martin)
4 Martin KERSTETTER
(Father of no. 2)
Born/Chr: 9 Dec 1733
Place: Lebanon, Lebanon Co, Pa
Married: 1 Jun 1756
Place: Lebanon, Lebanon Co, Pa
Died: 24 Nov 1798
Place: Penn Twp., Northumberland Co., Pa

(BIKEL)
5 Elisabetha BICKEL
(Mother of no. 2)
Born/Chr: 15 Jan 1734/35
Place: Affoltern, am Albis, Switzerland
Died:
Place: Pa

6
(Father of no. 3)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died:
Place:

7
(Mother of no. 3)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

8 Martin (Johann Martin) KERSTETTER
(Father of no. 4) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr: 5 Sep 1697
Place: Obergimpern, Baden, Germany
Married: 29 Apr 1727/Sheim, Baden, Germ
Died: Before 1760
Place:

9 Maria Dorothea FREY
(Mother of no. 4) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr: 1706
Place: Bonfeld, Wuerttemberg, Ger.
Died: Bef 1744
Place:

10 Hans BICKEL (BIKEL)
(Father of no. 5) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr: 13 Apr 1715
Place: Affoltern, am Albis, Switzerland
Married: 22 Mar 1733/~~34~~/Canton Zurich
Died:
Place:

11 Barbara WINKELMAN
(Mother of no. 5) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

12
(Father of no. 6) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Died:
Place:

13
(Mother of no. 6) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

14
(Father of no. 7) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Died:
Place:

15
(Mother of no. 7) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
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(Father of no. 4)
Born/Chr: [illegible]
Place: [illegible]
Married: [illegible]
Died: [illegible]
Place:
Cont. on chart no.

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(Father of no. 2)
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Married: [illegible]
Place: [illegible]
Died: [illegible]
Place: [illegible]

9 [illegible]
(Mother of no. 4)
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Died: [illegible]
Place:
Cont. on chart no.

2 [illegible]
(Father of no. 1)
Born/Chr: [illegible]
Place: [illegible]
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Place:
Died: [illegible]
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10 [illegible]
(Father of no. 5)
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Born/Chr: [illegible]
Place: [illegible]
Died:
Place: [illegible]

11 [illegible]
(Mother of no. 5)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:
Cont. on chart no.

1 [illegible]
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died:
Place:
(Spouse of no. 1)

12
(Father of no. 6)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Died:
Place:
Cont. on chart no.

6
(Father of no. 3)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died:
Place:

13
(Mother of no. 6)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:
Cont. on chart no.

3 [illegible]
(Mother of no. 1)
Born/Chr: [illegible]
Place:
Died: [illegible]
Place:

14
(Father of no. 7)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Died:
Place:
Cont. on chart no.

7
(Mother of no. 3)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

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(Mother of no. 7)
Born/Chr:
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1 Martin (Johaun Martin) KERSTETTER
Born/Chr: 5 Sep 1697
Place: Obergimpern, Baden, Germany
Married:
Place:
Died: Bef. 1760
Place:

____
(Spouse of no. 1)

2 Hans Leonhardt (Kirstatter) KERSTETTER
(Father of no. 1)
Born/Chr: 28 Nov 1668
Place: Obergimpern, Baden, Ger
Married: Bef 1697
Place: Baden, Germany
Died:
Place:

3 Anna Ursula
(Mother of no. 1)
Born/Chr: Ca 1675
Place:
Died:
Place:

4 Wolf (KIRSTETTER) KERSTETTER
(Father of no. 2)
Born/Chr: Ca 1618
Place: Obergimpern, Baden, Ger.
Married:
Place:
Died:
Place:

5 Magdalena
(Mother of no. 2)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

6
(Father of no. 3)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died:
Place:

7
(Mother of no. 3)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

8 Wolflein KERSTETTER
(Father of no. 4) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Died:
Place:

9
(Mother of no. 4) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

10
(Father of no. 5) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Died:
Place:

11
(Mother of no. 5) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

12
(Father of no. 6) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Died:
Place:

13
(Mother of no. 6) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

14
(Father of no. 7) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Died:
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15
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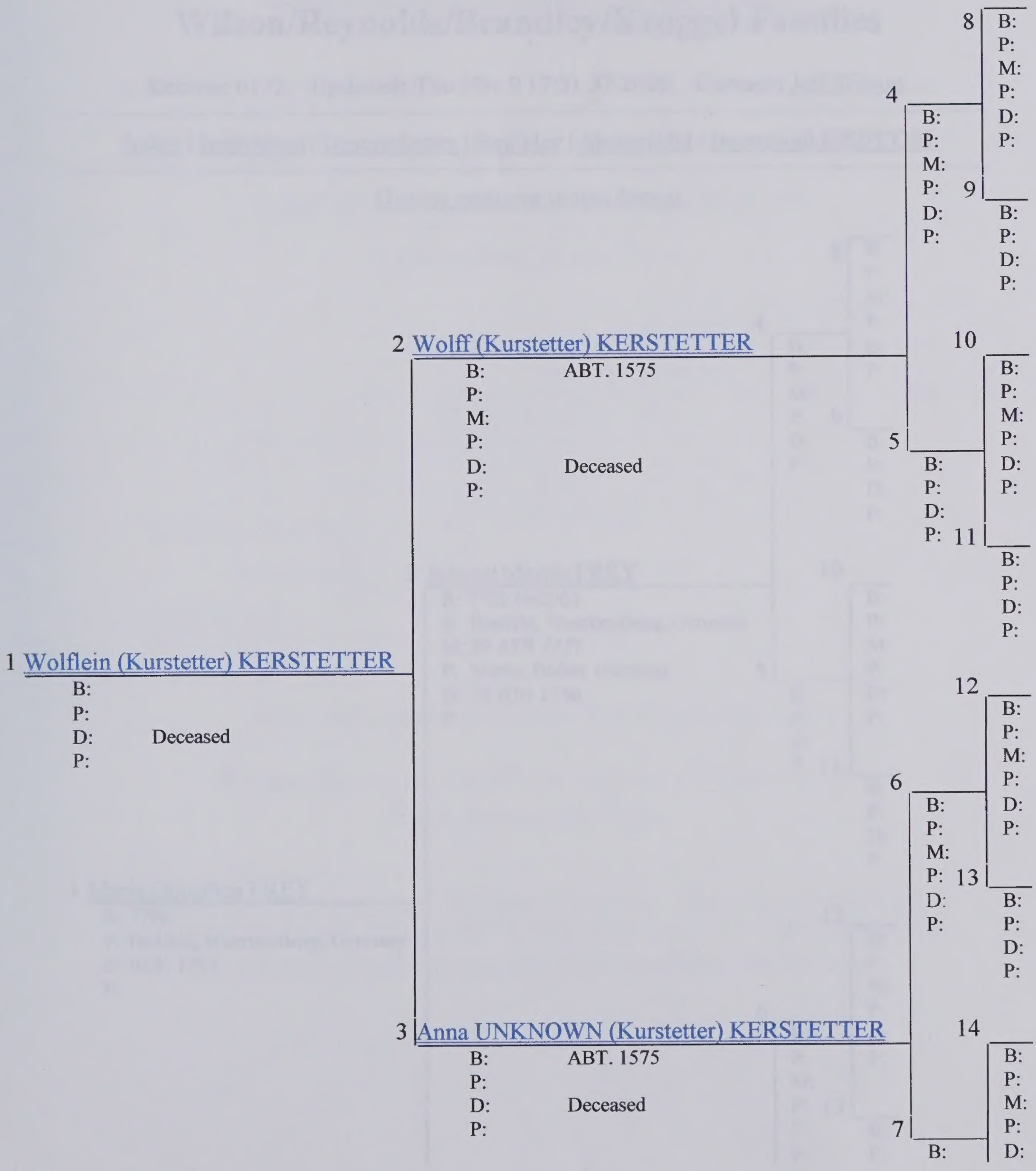

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B: ABT. 1575
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3 Anna UNKNOWN (Kurstetter) KERSTETTER
B: ABT. 1575
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D: Deceased
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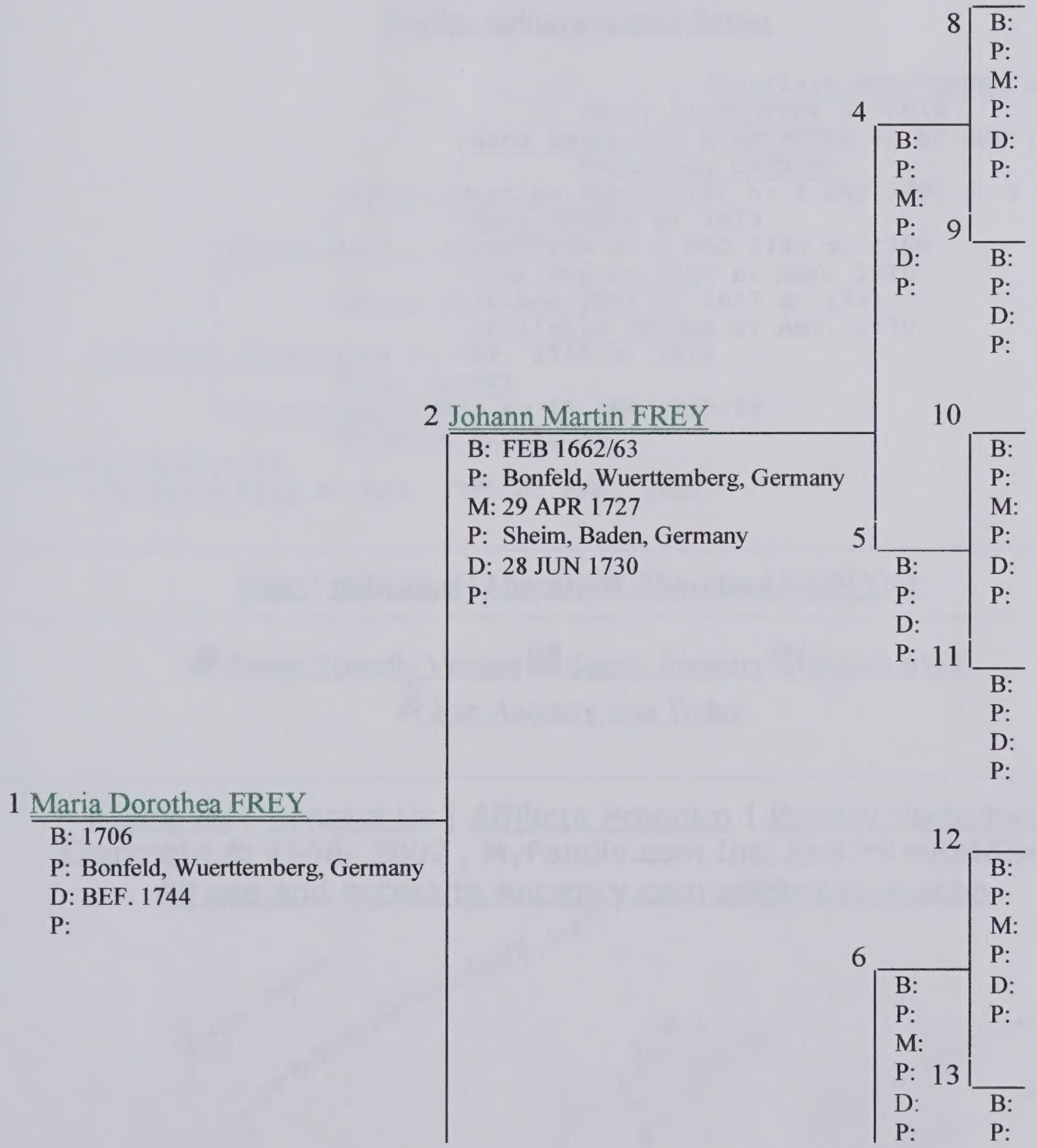

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P: Bonfeld, Wuerttemberg, Germany
D: BEF. 1744
P:

2 Johann Martin FREY
B: FEB 1662/63
P: Bonfeld, Wuerttemberg, Germany
M: 29 APR 1727
P: Sheim, Baden, Germany
D: 28 JUN 1730
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                                /Hans Leonhardt KIRSTATTER b: 28 NOV 1668
                                |       \Madalena UNKNOWN
                        /Johann-Martine KEARSTUTER b: 5 SEP 1697 d: 6 APR 1759
                        |       \Anna URSULA b: 1675
                /Johann Martin KERSTETTER b: 9 DEC 1733 d: 1798
                |       |       /John Martin FREY b: ABT. 1670
                |       \Maria Dorothea FREY b: 1697 d: 1741
                |               \Apollonia JUNGER b: ABT. 1670
        /Johannes KERSTETTER b: ABT. 1760 d: 1813
        |       |       /Hans BICKEL
        |       \Elisabetha BICKEL b: 15 JAN 1735/36
        |               \Barbara WINKELMAN
Juliana KERSTETTER
        \Catarina WOLF b: ABT. 1760 d: AFT. 1820
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Cleckner, Solomon

SINGLE FREEMEN

Criss, John
Pouman, Thos.
Fry, Jacob,Jr.
Gray, Geo.
Hilander, Mich.
Lowdon, Rich'd.
M'Calvy, Dan'l
" , James
" , Sam'l
Moore, Jacob
Mathers, Wm.
Myers, John
Patton, John
Reaznor, John,Jr.
" , Geo.
Rerick, Peter
Rote, Jacob
Tom, Robt.
Wice, John
M'Cright, John

MIFFLINBURG, 1793

Bigg, Fred'k
Books, Geo.
Burrel, Thos.
Collins, John
Cook, John
Dresbach, Jacob
" , Henry
" , John
Feeman, Geo.
Gibbons, Widdow
Holms, Robt.
" , Jonathan
Irwin, Wm.,Esq.
Landgrove, Hermon
Longabaugh, Mich.
Mitzner, Jacob
Millar, Chas.
Phillips, John
Durdoo, Edward
" , John
Piper, Henry,Jr.
Durrel, Thos.
Reedy, Nicholas
Ray, Geo.
Reedy, Jacob
Sampsel, Nicholas
Shoemaker, John
Derr, Christian
Yonkman, Thos.
" , Geo.
Waggoner, Christ'n

BEAVER TOWNSHIP

1791
Albright, Jacob, Sr. & Jr.
Augustaon, Ronimus
Boucher, Anthony
Bob, Conorod
Bard, Jacob
Baker, Fred'k
Bell, Geo.
Briner, Philip
Carl, Hugh
Clerk, James
Creek, Jacob
Everhart, Barney
Dreece, John
Dininger, Fred'k
Dreece, Peter
" , Jacob
" , Michael
Ditto, France
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" , Henry
Grum, Jacob
Gnap, Geo.
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Gift, Adam
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Howser, Jacob
Harpster, Jacob
Harts, John
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Hassinger, Fred
" , Dan'l
Huing, Thomas
Johnson, John
" , James
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" , Martin
Kern, Zast
Lewis, Thomas
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Lok, Jacob
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Mick, Andrew
Mowry, Mich.,Jr.
Manning, Nathan
" , Elisha
Mattox, Jacob
Mire, Widow
Mook, Geo.
Michael, Jacob
Mire, John
Mummy, John
Myre, Nicholas
Mire, Jacob
" , Henry
Mook, John
Moon, Nathaniel
Nearhood, Henry
Newcomer, Peter
Outley, Edward
Paw, Jacob
Rafter, John
Royel, Stofel
Royer, Bastian
Roush, Jacob
Richel, Derve Adani
Bugal, Adam
Sherred, Daniel
Stoll, Matthias
Stumfe, Wm.
Sherred, Jacob
Stroub, And.
Stock, Geo.
Strayer, Mathias, Sr.
Sherred, Jacob
Snyder, Peter
Thomas, Geo.
" , John
Timer, ___
Vanhorn, Dan'l
Wood, John
Wona, Maker Casper
Wise, John
" , Stoffel
Walt or Wall, John
Wiyond, Jacob
Yost, Widow
Young, Matthias

SINGLE MEN

Lewis, Lewis
Lewis, John
Drees, John
Holsinger, John
Streyer, And.
Sherred, Geo.
Bob, Jacob
Collins, David
Gross, John
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Edmison, Wm.

MAHANTANGO TWP.

1796
Albright, Fred'k Sr., Jr.
Arwangart, John
Albright, John
Alt, Geo.
Arnold, Casper
Anderson, Wm.
Bowman, Jacob
Bright, Mich.
Blasar, John
Bower, Peter
Burgant, Philip, Esq.
Bower, Daniel
Bickhart, John
Barnhart, Henry
Bay, John
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Eckhart, Jacob
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Grebill, John
" , Christian
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" , George
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Keiser, Jacob
Kersteter, Geo.
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Levangood, Jacob
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Krumbaugh, John,s
Lambert, Peter
Long, John
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Leist, Anthony
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Lantes, Geo.
Liter, John
Light, Adam, mill-
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Levengood, Christn.
s
Liter, John
Levy, Aaron
Miller, Joseph
" , Martin, s
Midoner, Andrew
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Melker, John
Meyser, Fred
" , Andrew
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Miterling, Balser
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McElvany, James
Matton, Geo.,s
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Metour, And.,s
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Mertz, Peter
Nyts, Philip
" , Jacob
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" , Wyant
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Painter, John
Poile, Henry
Page, John
Patterson, Robt.
taylor
Pickle, Simon
Roush, Jacob
Reichenbach, Jacob
Roush, John
River, John
Roush, Jacob
Ramsey, John,
fulling mill
Reagel, Jacob,
Sr., Jr.
Rein, Henry,
stiller
Rein, John
Richter, Juliana
" , John
Reichenbach, John
Reinhart, Geo.
Rhode, Fred
Seacrist, Henry
Stees, Fred
& Peter
Richter in
partnership
Stees, Fred
Shark, John,s
Snyder, Christ'r
Stephen, Adam
Stock, Mich.
Snyder, John,
Sr. & Jr.
Snyder, Simon
" , Thos.
Shetterly,Cath.
" , George
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" , Herman
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Shaffer, And.
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Stephen, John
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Smith, Jacob
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" , John
" , Margt.
widow
Shaffer, Peter,Sr.

Shaffer, Mich.
" , John
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Straub,Chas.Jr.
Shatsenberg,
Christopher
Strafser, Nich.
Straub, Henry
Stroub, Peter
Sophel, John
Stall, Fred
Straub,Chas.Sr.
Shower, Mich.
Shamory, John
Selson, Geo.,s
Spies, Herman
Shitterly,Henry
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Shitterly,Philip,s
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taylor
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Woodling, John
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" , Daniel
Bousasc, Michael
" , Margaret
Beaver, Jacob
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Broos, Stephen
" , Juda
Bear, Adam
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" , Anthony
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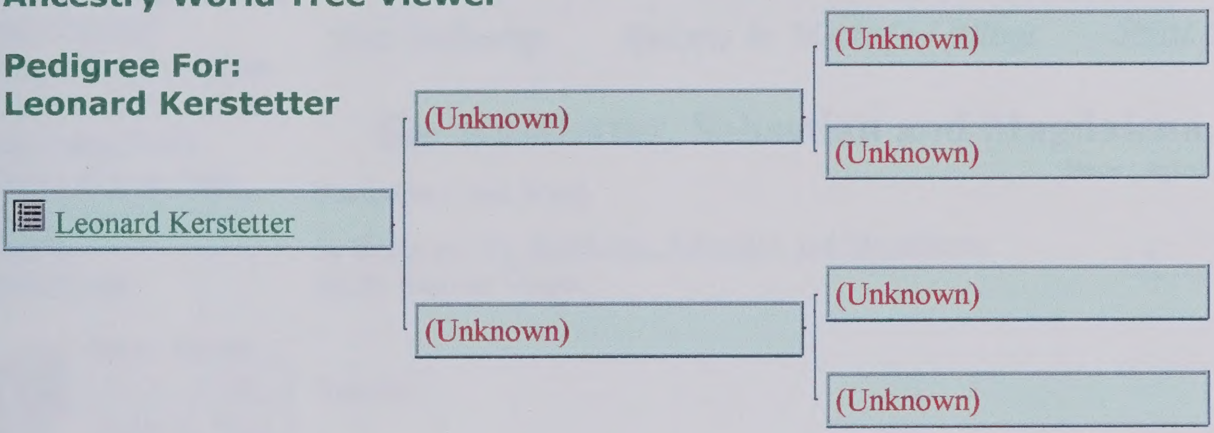
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d ca 1828 - Mahanoy Twp, Northumberland PA

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Re: Kerstetter, Sebastian and Magdalena, PA

Posted by: Dan Ward

Date: April 22, 1
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In Reply to: Re: Kerstetter, Sebastian and Magdalena, PA by Reuven Singer

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Reuven:

My wife's mother Ida Arlene Kerstettter is the is the 5th great granddaughter o
Johann Martin (I think) as follows:

Johann-Martine Kearstuter (9/5/1697-5/1759
Sebastian Kerstetter (1730-3/20/1787)
Sabastian Kerstetter Jr. (9/24/1763-1830)
Adam Kerstetter (1791-1853)
John Henry Kerstetter (8/21/1819-3/7/1897)
Peter Dressler Kerstetter (1855-?)
Cloyd Nelson Kerstetter (9/21/1887-7/21/1930)
Ida Arlene Kerstetter (7/7/1913-12/1/1983)

The question mark is Peter Dressler Kerstetter. I can find no firm proof that h
the son of John Henry, only family roomer.

It also appears that a number of the Kerstetters in my wife's family were of the
Jewish faith. Does this tie to anything in your records?

I would be very interested in any info you can share on the Kerstetter family.
several hundred Kerstetters in my family file assuming the Peter connection i
proven.

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Re: Kerstetter, Sebastian and Magdalena, PA

Posted by: Reuven Singer

Date: April 10, 1
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In Reply to: Kerstetter, Sebastian and Magdalena, PA
by Jan Meranda

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Yes, I have substantial info on them. Sebastian was the son of Johann Martin Kearstuter who emigrated to America on the ship Molley arriving 9/30/1727. married Maria Dorothea Frey and had 7 known children of whom Sebastian w first born. Sebastian was born in 1730 and died 3/20/1787. He married Magda Diebler and had 7 children. What is your connection to him?

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- Re: Kerstetter, Sebastian and Magdalena, PA **Dan Ward** *4/22/99* (2)
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Re: John Leonard Kerstetter (d. 1790) of PA

Posted by: Reuven Singer

Date: May 18, 1
13

In Reply to: John Leonard Kerstetter (d. 1790) of PA
by Ralph A. Pugh

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John Leonard Kerstetter was the son of Johann Martin Kearstuter (9/5/1697-5/1759) and his second wife Magdalena Huckenberger (died aft 17 He was born in Lebanon Twp,Cleona, PA in abt 1747. He married Anna Eliz Zehrung on 11/25/1766. They moved to Mahanoy Twp in Northumberland C Leonard and Anna had probably 5 sons and 5 daughters. I have as his childrer Leonard Jr (1767-1847), Sebastian, Michael, Martin, Susan (born abt 1769), Elizabeth (born abt 1773), Magdalena (born 11/2/1782), Henry (born abt 178 Johann George (born 5/3/1787), and Barbara (born about 1789). John Leonar is my 3rd great grandfather. What is your connection to this family?

Followups:

- Re: John Leonard Kerstetter (d. 1790) of PA **Michael S. Kerstetter** *4/1*
  - Re: John Leonard Kerstetter (d. 1790) of PA **Reuven Singer** *4/1*
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Re: LEONARD KESTETTER B. 1783

Posted by: Judy Hazel **Date:** June 13, 1
07

In Reply to: Re: LEONARD KESTETTER B. 1783 by Carol GRENNAN

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wrong L.?

My gggggreatgrandparents were Leonard Kerstetter and Anna Christina Lenk
Leonard was the son of Sebastian (b.1727)and Magdelena Diebler (b.1727)
Sebastian was the son of Johann Martin Kerstetter (b.1697) and Maria Doroth
Frey (b. 1701).
Leonard and Anna Christina had 10 children:Sebastian, Leonard Jr., George, Molly, Phillip, John Adam, John, Peter, Jacob, and Christian.
Leonard Jr. (b.1783) married Elizabeth Shreckengast. They had 12 children: Leonard, Susanna, Catharine, Elizabeth, Lydia, Sarah, John, Jacob, Daniel, Sa
Molly, Anna Maria Magdelena "Polly".
Anna Maria Magdelena "Polly" (b. 1807)married Jacob Stover (b.1801). They
buried in St. Paul's Union Cemetery, between Woodward and Aaronsburg, P
Tombstones read "our father, Jacob Stover, died March 19, 1882." "our mothe
Anna Maria wife of Jacob Stover died (can't read month and day) 1876."
They had 12 children: Elizabeth, Christina, Henreietta, Benjamin, John C., W
K., Julia, Sally (Sarah), Nellie (Ellen?), Leonard, Lydia, Susan.
Elizabeth (b. 1827) married David Corman (b. 1826. They had 12 children: D
John Henry, David F., Elizabeth, Nathan, Adam, Simon, Susannah, Maggie, L
Joseph, 7 William.
Dianna (b. 1949) married Benjamin Haffley.
They are my great grandparents.

Followups:

- Re: LEONARD KESTETTER B. 1783 **Judy Hazel** *11/30/99*

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Johannes Adam KERSTETTER

Posted by: Carol GRENNAN **Date:** December 02, 1999 at 16
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Is anyone able to add more information about the family of Johannes Adam KERSTETTER, s/o Johann Martin KERSTETTER and Elizabeth BICKEL? |
KERSTETTER spelling to simplify!!!!]
Joh.Adam KERSTETTER born 28 Aug 1757 Lancaster Co Pa.
..1. was a soldier in the Revolutionary War .. he was stationed in Stark Co Oh
area as was his cousin, Joh.Leonard KERSTETTER who moved his family th
1810. Did Adam move his family to Ohio then too?????
..2. married Catherine [?][was she KUNTZMAN?]
..3. was recorded on 1800 census at Mahanoy twp,Northumberland Co Pa wit
wife, 5 males and 4 females.
..4. I suspect Adam's children MAY BE.......
....(1)Johann George KERSTETTER 1776/1782 m. Elizabeth FOLTZ -lived
Perry twp,Noble Co Ind?
....(2)Elisabeth KERSTETTER b. 27 Jul 1782 - bapt 18 Aug 1782 Stone Vall
Church, NUL Co?
....(3)female born 1784/1790?
....(4)female born 1784/1790?
....(5)Johann Adam KERSTETTER b.7 Feb 1791 NUL Co.- died 18 Feb 185
Richland Co Ohio? Was his wife Appolonia/Abigail ?? ... or is this confused
the John KERSTETTER who was the son of Johannes KERSTETTER and w
Catherine WOLF of Centre Co Pa?
....(6)Henry KERSTETTER b.1790/1800 .. recorded 1830 Stark Co Ohio?
....(7)Peter KERSTETTER b.1790/1800 .. recorded 1830 Stark Co Ohio?
....(8)Jacob KERSTETTER b.1790/1800 .. recorded 1830 Stark Co Ohio?
....(9)Salome KERSTETTER b. 29 Mar 1805 NUL Co Pa .. bapt 12 Apr 1805
her sponcers were Nicolaus PAPP and wife Magdelena.

Is anyone able to add to or correct this supposition about the family of Johanr
Adam KERSTETTER??? I am still looking for the parents of "my" John

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All Kerstetters and spelling variations

Posted by: Ralph A. Kerstetter **Date:** July 26, 2000 at 16

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Along with my Uncle Alvin K, and Aunt Thelma K, I have been assembling
Kerstetter geneology info on and off for the last ten years or so. We are all pa
the family that settled in the area just West of the Susquahana River around 1
moving from around Annville (Lancaster County), where our ancestors first s
when they immigrated from Ober Gimpern (near the Neckar River, in what is
Germany). My information has it that the only Kerstetter (Kaerstatter) imigra
the US were Johann Martin K and his wife Dorothea Frye, who arrived on the
Dutch ship "Molly" in 1727. Johann Martin & Dorothea married earlier that s
year in a church in Ober Gimpern, where the church records reportedly state '
are going to Pennsylvania". They were both in their thirties when they marrie
traveled to the US. I have detailed information on the last six or eight generat
of my part of the family, plus some basic understanding of the older generatio
back to the parents of our immigrant ancestors. I understand that , five or ten
back, a Kerstetter in Vancouver wrote a book covering our early years in the
but I have never been able to find a copy of that book. If anyone knows where
buy or borrow a copy, please let me know. Further, I would like to work with
interested family members in assembling a full family tree of all descendants
immigrant ancestors, and making it available to all. Even more important, I a
interested in assembling copies of any and all family documents, photos, fact
stories of importance to our family history, so that we all can get to know our
ancestors as more than an entry on a computer database, and understand the t
our ancestors lived in, and the changes and moves that occurred over time. W
information becomes available, I intend to share it with all interested parties,
without charge. For anyone who cares to participate or contribute in this volu
effort, I hereby solicit your help. This is a very large task, which will be comp
by assembling the results of many steps, small and large. Whatever you have,
please share. Also, please include your personal email address, so that I can
assemble a Kerstetter Family Project mailing list, and when you respond to th
message, please copy me on my personal email address as well.

Regards, Ralph A. Kerstetter, Berkeley, CA
email: rkerstet@arterhadden.com

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- Re: All Kerstetters and spelling variations **John Moore** *11/12/00*
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- Re: All Kerstetters and spelling variations **Clara J.Miller** *10/02/00*
    - Re: All Kerstetters and spelling variations **Ralph A. Kerstetter** *10/02/00*
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Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died:
Place:

Johannes CLEMENS
(Spouse of no. 1)

2 Leonard KERSTETTER
(Father of no. 1)
Born/Chr: ca 1759
Place: Berks, PA
Married:
Place:
Died: ca 1828
Place: Mahanoy, Northumberland, PA

3 Elisabeth SCHAEFFER
(Mother of no. 1)
Born/Chr: Ca 1761
Place: Altahala, Rehersburg, Berks PA
Died: ca 1830
Place: Mahanoy, Northumberland, PA

4
(Father of no. 2)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died:
Place:

5
(Mother of no. 2)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

6 Johannes SCHAEFFER
(Father of no. 3)
Born/Chr: Feb 1727/8
Place: Altahala, Rehersburg, Berks, PA
Married:
Place:
Died: Feb 1758
Place: Mahanoy, Northumberland, PA

7 Maria Eva SAAB
(Mother of no. 3)
Born/Chr: ca 1727
Place: Tulpehocken, Berks, PA
Died: Aug 1758
Place: Mahanoy, Northumberland, PA

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(Father of no. 4) Cont. on chart no. ______
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Place:
Married:
Died:
Place:

9
(Mother of no. 4) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

10
(Father of no. 5) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Died:
Place:

11
(Mother of no. 5) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
Died:
Place:

12 Nicolaus SCHAEFFER
(Father of no. 6) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr: 21 Jan 1705/06
Place: Relsberg, Ger.
Married:
Died: ca 1771
Place: Tulpehocken, Berks, PA

13 Maria Magdalena
(Mother of no. 6) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr: Ca 1707
Place: Germany
Died: ca 1773
Place: Tulpehocken, Berks, PA

14
(Father of no. 7) Cont. on chart no. ______
Born/Chr:
Place:
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Died:
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Born/Chr:
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Married:
Place:
Died: ca 1771
Place: Tulpehocken, Berks, PA

Maria Magdalena
(Spouse of no. 1)
b. ca 1707
d. ca 1773

2 Nicolaus SCHAEFFER
(Father of no. 1)
Born/Chr: 1 Apr 1674
Place: Relsberg, Germany
Married:
Place:
Died: ca July 1758
Place: Tulpehocken, Berks, PA

3 Catharina SUDER
(Mother of no. 1)
Born/Chr: ca 1676
Place: Relsberg, Germany
Died: ca 1760
Place: Tulpehocken, Berks, PA

4 Peter SCHAEFFER
(Father of no. 2)
Born/Chr: ca 1647
Place: Relsberg, Germany
Married:
Place:
Died: ca 1703
Place: Relsberg, Germany

5 Anna Margaretha
(Mother of no. 2)
Born/Chr: ca 1643
Place: Relsberg, Germany
Died: 24 Apr 1724
Place: Relsberg, Germany

6
(Father of no. 3)
Born/Chr:
Place:
Married:
Place:
Died:
Place:

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(Mother of no. 3)
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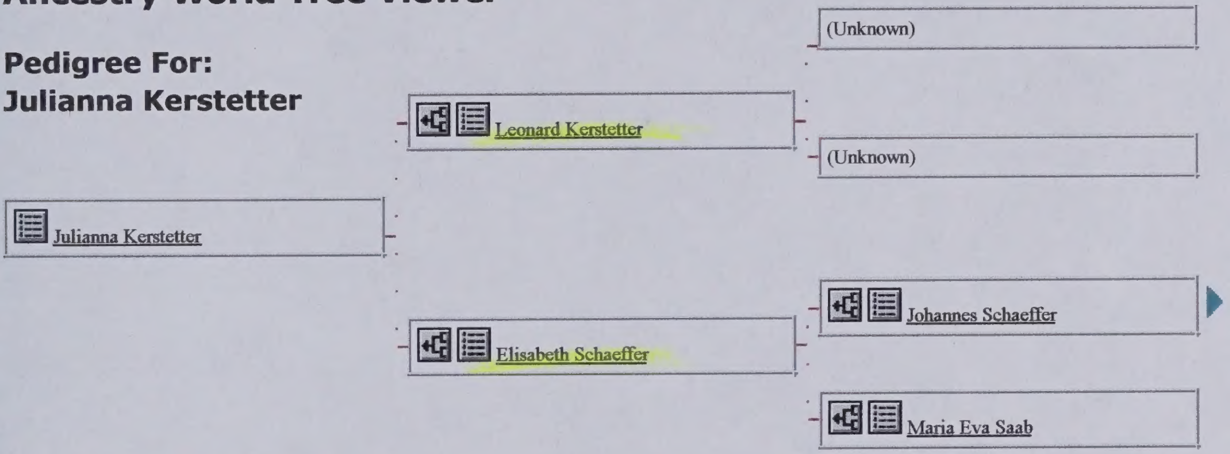
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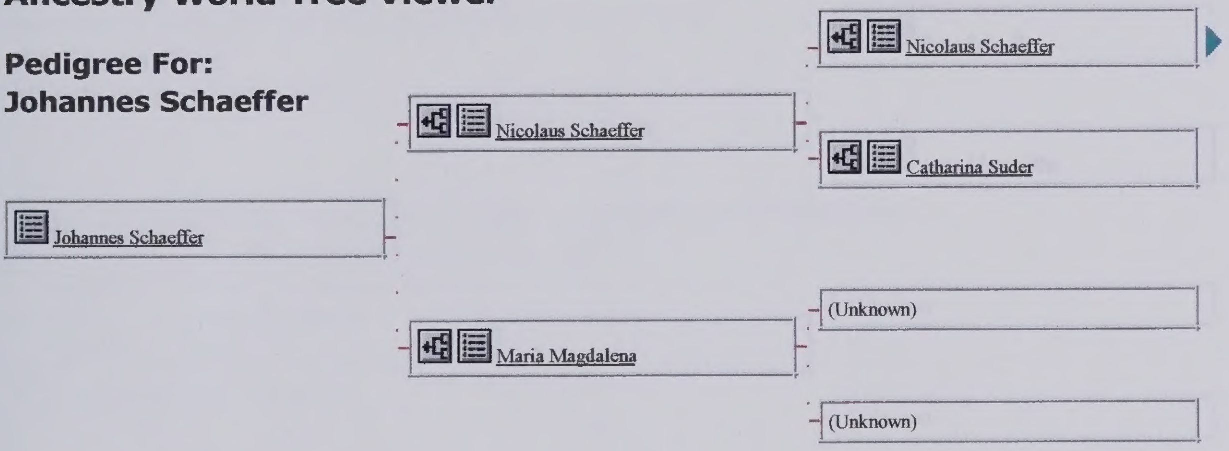

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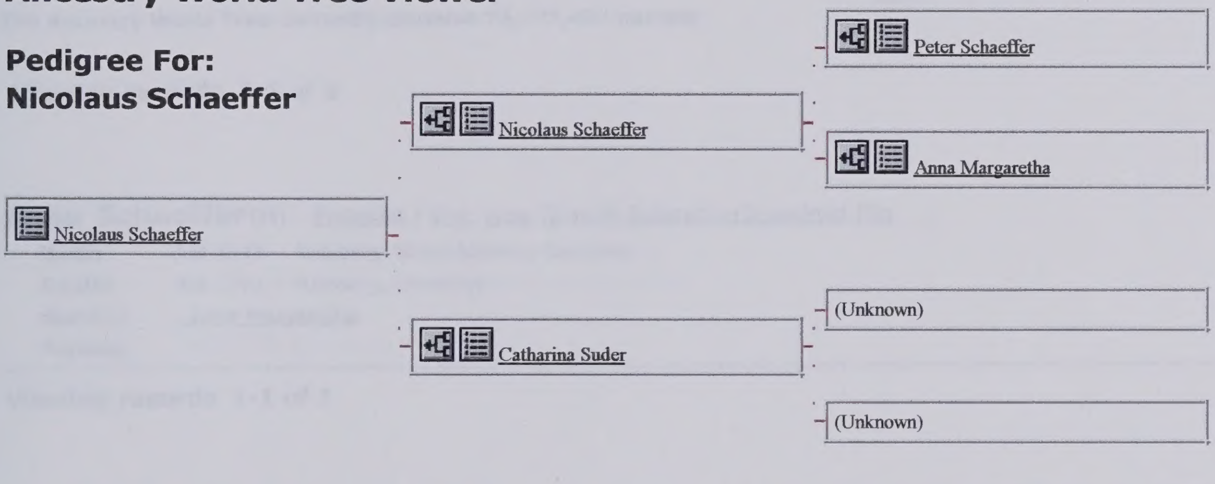

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Peter Schaeffer (M) - Pedigree | Ind. View | E-mail Submitter/Download File

Birth: Abt 1647 -- Relsberg, Niederkirchen, Germany
Death: Abt 1703 -- Relsberg, Germany
Spouse: , Anna Margaretha
Parents:

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Nicolaus Schaeffer (M) - Pedigree | Ind. View | E-mail Submitter/Download File

Birth:	1 Apr 1674 -- Relsberg, Niederkirchen, Germany
Death:	Abt Jul 1758 -- Tulpehocken Twp, Berks County, PA
Spouse:	, Catharina Suder
Parents:	Peter Schaeffer, Anna Margaretha

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Catharina Suder (F) - Pedigree | Ind. View |E-mail Submitter/Download File

Birth: Abt 1676 -- Relsberg, Germany
Death: Abt 1760 -- Tulpehocken Twp, Berks County, PA
Spouse: Nicolaus Schaeffer
Parents:

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Anna Margaretha (F) - Pedigree | Ind. View |E-mail Submitter/Download File

Birth:	Abt 1643 -- Relsberg, Germany
Death:	24 Apr 1724 -- Relsberg, Germany
Spouse:	Peter Schaeffer
Parents:	

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Nicolaus Schaeffer

Life Events

Birth:	21 Jan 1705/06	Niederkirchen Chbk, Relsberg, Germany
Christening:		
Death:	Abt 1771	Tulpehocken Twp, Berks County, PA
Burial:		
Residence:		

Miscellaneous Information

Physical Description:	
Occupation:	
Religion:	
Title:	
Alias:	
Gender:	M

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Maria Magdalena

Life Events

Birth:	Abt 1707	Germany
Christening:		
Death:	Abt 1773	Tulpehocken Twp, Berks County, PA
Burial:		
Residence:		

Miscellaneous Information

Physical Description:	
Occupation:	
Religion:	
Title:	
Alias:	
Gender:	F

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Johannes Schaeffer

Life Events

Birth:	Feb 1727/28	Altalaha, Rehersburg, Berks Co., Pa.
Christening:		
Death:	Feb 1788	Mahanoy Twp, Northumberland Co., PA
Burial:		
Residence:		

Miscellaneous Information

Physical Description:	
Occupation:	
Religion:	
Title:	
Alias:	
Gender:	M

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Maria Eva Saab

Life Events

Birth:	Abt 1727	Tulpehocken Twp, Berks County, PA
Christening:		
Death:	Aug 1788	Mahanoy Twp, Northumberland Co., PA
Burial:		
Residence:		

Miscellaneous Information

Physical Description:	
Occupation:	
Religion:	
Title:	
Alias:	
Gender:	F

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Leonard Kerstetter (M) - Pedigree | Ind. View | E-mail Submitter/Download File

Birth:	Abt 1759 -- Berks County, PA
Death:	Abt 1828 -- Mahanoy Twp, Northumberland Co., PA
Spouse:	, Elisabeth Schaeffer
Parents:	

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Elisabeth Schaeffer (F) - Pedigree | Ind. View | E-mail Submitter/Download File

Birth:	Abt 1761 -- Altalaha, Rehersburg, Berks Co., Pa.
Death:	Abt 1830 -- Mahanoy Twp, Northumberland Co., PA
Spouse:	Leonard Kerstetter
Parents:	Johannes Schaeffer, Maria Eva Saab

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Johannes Clemens (M) - Pedigree | Ind. View | E-mail Submitter/Download File

Birth: Abt 1790 -- Mahanoy Twp, Northumberland Co., PA 1
Death: Abt 1855 -- Mahantango Twp, Union Co., PA
Spouse: , Julianna Kerstetter
Parents:

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Husband: Johannes Clemens
Father: _
Mother: _

Wife: Julianna Kerstetter
Father: Leonard Kerstetter
Mother: Elisabeth Schaeffer

Marriage Date: 16 Apr 1814 Marriage Place: Mahantango Twp, Union Co., PA
Children:

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